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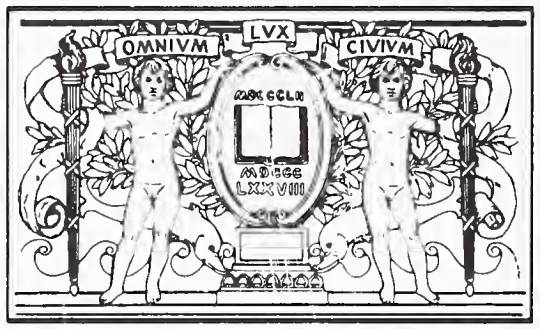

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"He lives with his ancestry, and
he lives with his posterity; to
both does he consider himself
involved in deep responsibility."
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This book is dedicated to my parents, Margaret (Maggie) Lenora (Wolcott) Williams, and John Chapman Williams.

Also, to all of the generations who came before me, who braved the seas, settled a new wilderness country, and made it free for me and future generations; and to all the generations who come after me so that they will know who their ancestors were, what they did, how they settled this country; some even died for us.

Be proud of your ancestry - this is your heritage.

FOREWORD

When I first considered writing a family genealogy, many years had been spent researching many different branches of my family.

My search had taken me from Georgia to Arkansas, Virginia, New England, South Carolina and England. We (my husband and I) had spent many weeks, from opening to closing, in libraries and historical societies; had visited churches, and spent endless hours in court houses searching dusty old records; had walked over cemeteries, some quite large, reading each and every tombstone in search of that "one". We had asked questions of everyone that we thought might help and many that we hoped could; knocked on doors of people we didn't know asking for information. We had followed leads for days, even weeks, months and years, on some! Many hours were spent writing letters, some never answered, but many came through with the desired answers that lead to wonderful friendships, many with distant "cousins" that we had never heard of before.

Some of our most rewarding experiences were the helpfulness of people everywhere. In some libraries, post offices, historical societies, and court houses, we were told about others to locate to ask questions. We always found someone, everywhere we went, that became a link to our missing ancestors.

There are many people that deserve recognition for enabeling this task to be accomplished. My husband, Eldridge Hoyle "Coots" Turner, Sr., was always with me. Without him none of this could have been done; he drove up endless country roads, interstates that I would never have driven on; his cameras were always with us and many hundreds of photographs were taken of tombstones, houses, etc. When we went to unknown cemeteries, small country ones and large city ones, with no idea if the ones we were looking for were even there (many cemeteries had no offices, no records), he started on one side and I on the other, and many hours were spent marker to marker. Also, for his encouragement and foresight that this would one day be accomplished.

My loving thanks to my mother, Margaret Lenora Wolcott Williams, who gave me all of her family records before she died. These were in a little tin box, on many different size pages, most in her handwriting - none documented! This was about twenty years before I started my research; however, all of her information turned out to be correct! Also, in the little tin box was a three page genealogy - again, not documented - given to my mother by my father's mother, Flora Lyle McNutt Williams. My loving thanks to my grandmother for this. Hers was a proud Virginia heritage that I inherited!

On one of our first research trips, to Arkansas, my thanks to the minister of the First Presbyterian Church in Hope; to an elderly gentleman met in a country cemetery, who put me in touch with a descendant of my great grandmother's sister; to this descendant and her daughter, Mrs. Wilma Thurman, who sent me information on that family. In Virginia my list is long, but special thanks go to Dr. Charles Turner, history professor emeritus at Washington and Lee University in Lexington. His help and friendship enabled me to find a family branch that I knew little about. He made available the Rockbridge Historical Society genealogy papers, housed at the Washington and Lee Library and went with us to cemeteries and helped us to find ancestor's graves. In Farmville, my thanks to Mr. Billy Mills who now owns the plantation of my great grandparents. He spent a morning with us and took us to see "Dover" where my grandmother was

born and grew up. At Hampden-Sydney College, my grateful thanks to Miss Virginia Redd who gave me invaluable information and took us to see the cemetery of Major James Morton. In Randolph, my thanks to Mrs. Frances Lynn, who took us to see "Mulberry Hill" the plantation home of my ancestor, Judge Paul Carrington.

In Chesterfield, South Carolina, we met two sisters that turned out to be distant cousins, Miss Margaret Trotti and Mrs. Sarah Farmer. My grateful thanks to these ladies who still live in our ancestors' home, who not only took us on a tour of the lovely old home, from basement to third floor attic, but shared endless pages of records and family data. In Kingstree, S.C., grateful thanks to Mrs. Mary R. Reid, who sent me envelopes of genealogical data that I could not find anywhere in books; records from long destroyed old family Bibles, and county and family records from the area. My thanks to a cousin, Mrs. Blanche Patterson of Little Rock, Ark. who gave me the names of long lost great, great, great grandparents. There are many, many more who shared information with me and gave help in so many ways. The list is too numerous to mention each one.

This book is written in two sections; the first on my paternal side, Williams, and the second section on the Wolcott side, my maternal side. I have taken my own lines only back as far as possible, including related family lines. I have tried to correct errors found in other genealogy books, but inevitably, there may be some here; hopefully, only a minimum.

This genealogy has been written with the hope that future generations will be enabled to find who their ancestors were and how they helped settle our country. Be proud of your heritage!

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SECTION I

WILLIAMS
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WILLIAMS

DR. C. C. WILLIAMS

CHAPTER I

WILLIAMS FAMILY

The name Williams is a Welsh word or name and has been used since about 1,000 A.D. The name is derived, in Welsh, from the verb "gwyllo", which means to watch or guard. The noun of this verb is Gwilym (pronounced William) and means a watcher, a sentinel, a guard, or a patrol. In Wales, about 1,000 A.D., there were frequent and almost constant wars, rival chieftans and princes, foreign foes. They were in need of trusted men, and these men were "Gwilymns" stationed on mountain peaks, and at the first alarm, they would light a beacon fire, another mountain peak answered with another fire and the warning flames would warn the whole country. This post of Gwilym was one of danger and none but the brave and patriotic was trusted. This was considered a post of honor for generations.

The name William increased in popularity after William the Conqueror invaded England. When he first came, he wrote it Wilhelm, later wrote it Pillelm, and still later, Willelm. "Pillelm" was the spelling on the British coins, as "p" had the sound of "w". The old English spelling, "Wil" means stout and "helm" is helmet, two German words, meaning "Stout Warrior", almost the same as the Welsh "Sentinel".

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Morgan Williams had six sons: Oliver, Robert, Henry, Richard, Phillip and Ralph. The second son, Robert, was the great grandfather of "Cromwell The Protector" or Oliver Cromwell, whose real name was Oliver Williams. The name Cromwell was taken to please his maternal uncle, but he always signed his name by adding, alias Williams.

In many Welsh towns, half the families are named Williams, half of the males are named John. Many other names there that begin with a "W" are derived from Williams. It is next to impossible to trace one's ancestry in Wales if the name is Williams.

According to Burke, the Welsh language is older than the Greek language and may be the parent of the Greek language. The Welsh language contains 80,000 words and is the oldest in use today traceable in origin to the sixth century, except perhaps the Chinese. Wales is a small country in size, about 135 miles long from north to south and 95 miles wide at the south end, narrowing to 35 miles wide in the north and contains about 8,000 square miles.

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Our Williams ancestry has been the most difficult of all my ancestral lines to trace. Family information, from the mid 1700's, tells us that our first Williams ancestor in America was Mathew Williams and that he came from Wales. I, however, do not believe that Mathew (spelled with one "t") was our immigrant. If, indeed, he was, I believe that he came with his parents as a small child; or even his grandparents might be our immigrant Williams.

My information tells me that Mathew came from, or was born in, Mecklenburg County, Virginia and that he married a Miss Johnson (given name not known). On a trip to Virginia, in both the court houses of Lunenburg and Mecklenburg (Mecklenburg County was taken from Lunenburg) I was told that there were more Williamses in that area than any other name. When I stated that my Mathew Williams married a Johnson, I was told that the Johnsons and Williamses intermarried for several generations and there were several areas of the county where there were Johnsons and Williamses. Inasmuch as I cannot find a definite proof beyond Mathew, neither can I find a Mathew Williams, his age and time, listed in any of the immigration Passenger Lists books, I will have to assume that he is our immigrant ancestor.

MATHEW WILLIAMS
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MATHEW WILLIAMS 1. Our Mathew, or his parents or grandparents, came from Wales and settled in Mecklenburg County, Virginia. He married a Miss Johnson and it is known that he had four sons. If there were other children, I do not know.

Issue:

1. Thomas
2. CHARLES, b. 12 June 1762 in Mecklenburg County, Virginia; d. 4 Feb. 1838 in York District, S.C.; m. (1) ____McRae or McCrea; m. (2) Elizabeth McCottry; m. (3) Anne (Chandler) Patterson, a widow.
3. William
4. Absalom, killed in War of 1812 on Coast of Georgia

We do know that Charles and Thomas, after the Revolutionary War, came to South Carolina together. They both originally settled in Williamsburg District, S.C., later near Bishopville, S.C. and last moved to York County, S.C. We also know that the Williams family were devout Methodists and when Charles lived near Bishopville he was a member of the Bethlehem Methodist Church and served as a Steward. He also served as a Steward in York, S.C.

Thomas had three children: Thomas, known as Col. Tom, was a distinguished lawyer in York for many years and a member of the Legislature from that district. Before the War Between the States he moved to Montgomery, Ala. Thomas had another son, Charles, who became a Methodist minister and moved to Mississippi. His third child was Mary who married a Mr. Postell and went to Western North Carolina.

William Williams may have remained in Virginia, but there is a William on the 1790 Census in Williamsburg County, S.C.

Absalom was killed in the War of 1812 on the coast of Georgia. We do not know if he remained in Virginia or moved to South Carolina, except that there is an

Absalom Williams witnessing an abstract of land near Bishopville in 1810. Could this be our Absalom? I have also found an Absalom in Virginia!

CHARLES WILLIAMS
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CHARLES 2, Mathew 1. Charles was born in Mecklenburg County, Virginia on 12 June 1762 and died 4 Feb. 1838 in York District, S.C. Charles was married three times, first, ____ McRae or McCrea from Williamsburg District, S. C. There are McCreas who lived in the same area of Williamsburg District as Charles, but I can find no proof of who his first wife was. His second wife was also from Williamsburg District, Elizabeth McCottry, daughter of William and Mary (McConnell) McCottry. Charles' third wife was a widow, Anne (Chandler) Patterson.

I find where Charles witnessed a Deed, dated 8 Feb. 1808, between Alexander James Scott to Thomas McCrea, Jr. and Alexander McCrea, p. 9, Deed Book "A" Williamsburg District, S.C.

Page 15, Deed Book "A" I find where George Burrows of Williamsburg, willed to his two sons land "....located a little south of Black Mingo Swamp, bordered by Charles Williams...." 16 Jan. 1808.

Page 41, Deed Book "A", Alexander J. Scott to Samuel Nathaniel Scott....1 tract 237 a. bordered by grant of Charles Williams, lands formerly Samuel Nesmith, now Benjamin Britton and Thomas Williams, 3 tracts 513 a. bordered by David Wilson, William McCottry and Charles Williams....April 11, 1817."

Page 8, Deed Book "C", Charles williams in consideration of $97.25 paid by George W. Burrows released to him a tract of land granted to John McCottry, 7 Oct. 1793 bordered on South by Black Mingo Creek on the headwaters of Boggy Gully....recorded 17 April 1820. John Huggins JP for Darlington District swears that Ann Williams signed release of dower. Darlington District would be Bishopville.

We do know that Charles and Thomas were in Williamsburg District in the late 1790's and early 1800's. We see that Charles had land next to William McCottry, his second wife's father. Also, Charles was the witness for a Deed between Thomas and Alexander McCrea - was this his first wife's people? Also, Charles named his first child Mathew, for his father; his second child, Alexander, by his first wife, could have been named for her father. I have found no other Alexanders in the Williams family until this one.

Charles fought in the Revolutionary War. From the Roster of South Carolina Patriots in the American Revolution by Bobby Gilmer Moss we find, "He served as a Captain under Major Williamson at Ninety Six during 1775 and was on an expedition into Georgia under Colonel Pickens. Yearbook, 1893."

From Marriage and Death Notices from the Southern Christian Advicate. Vol. I, 1837-1860, p. 6, by Brent H. Holcomb, I find, "Died on the 4th of Feb. 1838

in York District, S.C., Capt. Charles Williams, in his seventy-sixth year. He was born in the state of Virginia, served two campaigns in the militia of that state during the war of the Revolution; and was stationed at Gloucester Point when Lord Cornwallis was captured. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church upwards of thirty years. He served the church as a steward, first in Santee circuit, and afterwards in Yorkville (eulogy), A.N. Forster."

Charles was a Steward of Bethlehem Methodist Church near Bishopville, later in York District. He served from Sumter District as a member of the Legislature.

Charles' Will is dated "This twenty eighth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred and twenty five", probated April 23, 1838, Will Book 2, page 11, case No. 44. He mentions "my beloved wife Ann Williams...." He also states, I give and bequeath to my two sons Mathew Williams and Alexander Williams, to them, and their heirs forever two tracts of land, lying in Williamsburg district Viz - one tract containing one hundred and seventy four acres, adjoining the lands of W. John Gambols on Turkey Creek it being part of a tract surveyed by John McCottry, likewise the half of a tract containing five hundred and seven acres, surveyed by George White and John McCottry, adjoining lands belonging to John James Esqr. and lying on Cow Head Bay. Having sold a tract of land in Williamsburg district, to George Burrows, and part of the right, of two hundred and fifty acres of the same being vested in my two sons Mathew and Alexander Williams, on condition, that they the said Mathew and Alexander assign their right and claims, to the aforesaid George Burrows, his heirs or assigns, then in that case I give to the said Mathew and Alexander two hundred dollars each to be raised and levied out of my estate as a compensation for the above mentioned claim....equally divided amongst my wife and children viz, Mathew, Alexander, Mary, Thomas,Sarah DuRant, Charles, Margaret, John, Louisa, Benjamin Judge,Eliza Ann, any child or children which may be born of my wife in my life time, or within nine months next after my death....appoint my sons Mathew Williams, Thomas Williams and John Williams Executors of this my last Will and Testament and I do appoint and constitute my son Mathew Williams the lawful guardian of all my children who may not be of age of twenty one years...."

By first wife, ____McRae or McCrea

1. Mathew, d. Cleveland Springs, N.C. 1872, never married; was a lawyer of Chester, S.C.
2. ALEXANDER, b. 3 Nov. 1801, Williamsburg District, S.C.; d. 7 Jan. 1873, Dardanelle, Arkansas; m. SARAH A. CRAIG, Nov. 1827 in Camden, S.C. (SEE CRAIG FAMILY).

By second wife, Elizabeth McCottry

3. Mary (twin), m. Capt. James R. Law
4. William (twin) died in infancy
5. Sarah (twin) m. (1) Mr. DuRant; m. (2) Wrightman DuRant
6. Thomas (twin), lawyer in York and Sumter, S.C.; m. ____Sonsberry
7. Charles, b. 20 Sept. 1807; d. 31 March 1865, was a physician; m. (1) Jane Margaret Craig, b. 6 June 1811; d. 6 Jan. 1838; m. (2) Mary Elizabeth Laval.

By third wife, Ann (Chandler) Patterson

8. John, a lawyer, Lancaster, S.C.; d. in War Between the States (1862), never married.
9. Benjamin Judge, a doctor,d. about 1847; m. ____Irby

10. Margaret, d. during War Between the States; m. ____Bell of Kershaw County.
11. Louisa, m. Anthony White of Sumter
12. Elizabeth (Eliza) Ann, b. 16 March 1817; d. 17 Dec. 1841; m. Dr. James C. Craig, b. 4 Dec. 1815. He m. (2) Laura Ann Purvis. Dr. James Craig was the brother of Sarah Craig, Dr. Alexander Williams' wife; also, the brother of Dr. Charles Williams' first wife, Jane Margaret Craig.

ALEXANDER WILLIAMS
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ALEXANDER 3, Charles 2, Mathew 1. Alexander, son of Charles and his first wife ____McRae or McCrea, was born 3 November 1801, in Williamsburg District, S.C. and died 7 January 1873 in Dardanelle, Arkansas. According to Marriage and Death Notices from The Charleston Observer 1827-1845 by Brent Holcomb, p.13, it states "Married in Camden, by the Rev. Mr. Powers, Dr. Alexander Williams of Sumter, to Miss S.E. Craig, of Chesterfield, Nov. 1827." Sarah A. Craig, daughter of John and Sarah (Chapman) Craig, was born 7 July 1809 in Chesterfield, S.C. and died 31 Jan. 1860. As stated in the Southern Christian Advocate, Vol. I, p. 585, "Mrs. Sarah A. wife of Dr. A.Williams, formerly of Chesterfield Dist., S.C. died Jan. 31st, 1860....with their six sons and only daughter moved to Dardanelle, Ark...."

Dr.Alexander Williams was a physician in the town of Chesterfield, S.C. from the time of his marriage until October 1859. In the Chesterfield Court House today there is a copy of the Power of Attorney granted to James C. Craig, his attorney, by Alexander Williams to allow him to sell 520 acres for him, dated 24th day of October 1859, signed by Alexander Williams (Seal). Also on file is a copy of a deed, signed by J. C. Craig (Seal) Atty. for Alexander Williams, where he sold this land for two thousand and five hundred dollars, dated Nov. 26th 1859.

In the deed book, on the page of the Power of Attorney, it states, "This power of atty. was recorded Nov. 26th, 1859 in Book S, page 516, which book was destroyed by Genl. Shermans Army." On the second document it states, "This deed was recorded Nov. 26th 1859 in Book S, page 517, which book was destroyed by Genl.Shermans Army." As stated, these books were destroyed by General Sherman's army; however, after the war the good people of the county were requested to bring in their copies of all documents to be placed in books at the Court House in lieu of the originals. This was done!! Thus, I was able to secure a copy of these documents.

We know this to be true inasmuch as we visited Chesterfield in 1986 and found the old Craig home where Sarah Craig Williams grew up. There are still Craig descendants living in this house today and they told us that during the War Between the States, General Sherman used the front room of their house (the mother of these descendants lived there during the 1860's) as his office. The table he used as his desk is still in the room. There is also an entrance from the side porch into this room. The Court House, at that time, was just across the street from this house, and when the Court House was burning, it was so hot inside of the Craig house that the children were told to stand with the

fireplace between them and the fire to keep from being suffocatingly hot! They did not want to go outside unless it was necessary. A new Court House was built after the war about a block away and today the Deed Books hold the copies that the good people of Chesterfield County brought to the Court House.

John Craig, the father of Sarah, gave each of his children land and built each of them a house in the town of Chesterfield. Alexander and Sarah's home was at the far end of the little town (several blocks) and that is where his medical office was also. They raised their children in Chesterfield and in 1859 they went to Arkansas to homestead. All of their living children went with them, even though several were already grown. Some of the children did come back to South Carolina!

Sarah died shortly after reaching Arkansas, on 31 Jan. 1860, and Alexander lived another thirteen years, and died 7 January 1873.

Issue:

1. JOHN CRAIG, b.5 Oct. 1828, Chesterfield District; d. Williamsburg District, 22 March 1858; m. Jennet Drucilla Burgess, Jan. 1854 (SEE BURGESS FAMILY).
2. Charles, b. 1830; m. probably before leaving Chesterfield, to Susan ? d. Arkansas.
3. Mathew, b. 1832; d. during War Between the States.
4. Peggie A., b. July 9, 1833; d. 3 Nov. 1834, aged 16 mos., buried Craig cemetery, across street from old Craig House, behind Post Office Chesterfield.
5. Alexander, b. 1837, was a physician, killed in War Between the States.
6. Thomas, b. 1839, m. Ann W. Craig; came back to S.C. to live.
7. Sarah C., b. 5 Mar. 1841, Chesterfield; d. 30 Jan. 1913 Chesterfield; m. (1) William C. Strayhorn who d. 3 Aug. 1880, Dardanelle, Ark.; Sarah came back to Chesterfield and m. (2) Thomas Parke Craig, her 1st cousin.
8. James B., b. 1844, killed in War Between the States.
9. David H., b. 1846, died of disease in War Between the States.
10. Infant, b. 1847; died, buried Chesterfield Cemetery.
11. Infant, b. 1849; died, buried Chesterfield Cemetery.

JOHN CRAIG WILLIAMS
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JOHN CRAIG 4,Alexander 3, Charles 2, Mathew 1. John Craig, son of Sarah A. (Craig) and Dr. Alexander Williams, was born in Chesterfield, S.C., on 5th October 1828 and died in Williamsburg District, 22 March 1858, aged 29 years 5 months and 17 days. According to Dr. Samuel Davis McGill, in his book Narrative of Reminiscences of Williamsburg County, he states, "In January, 1854,Jennet Drucilla Burgess, married Dr. John C.Williams, of Chesterfield District, who had already settled among us, and by his social and Christian profession, he soon received attention and respect." John was a physician and practiced in the District of Williamsburg.

On his tombstone, in the churchyard of Cedar Swamp Methodist Church in Williamsburg District, it states "He was one of the founders and the first class leader of the Church, at this place. He was a faithful friend, a

devoted husband, an affectionate parent, a kind master, a good citizen, and a true Christian." In the Southern Christian Advocate, Vol. I, p.504, we find, "John C. Williams died on the 22 day of March, 1858, in his 29th year, at the residence of Thomas Scott, near Muddy Creek....the son of Dr. A. Williams, of Chesterfield." We have often wondered what happened to him at such an early age, but being a doctor, it is possible there was an epidimic of some kind, and he was exposed. Why did he die at some one else's home?? At this late date, none of these answers are known, but I strongly believe that Thomas Scott was some way related, through John's grandmother, Charles Williams' first wife who was from Williamsburg District, by the name of McRae or McCrea.

There are many other questions that come to mind. One, the plantation that John owned, I believe, is a part of the original land grant of Charles Williams. Charles, in his will, left part of this land to Alexander, John's father, and Mathew, John's uncle, who never married, both of these sons by the McRae or McCrea wife.

John left two small boys and his third son was born several months after his death. His wife, Jennet Drucilla, went to live with her mother, Mary McCottry McGill Burgess, on her plantation in the White Oak section of Williamsburg District. He died intestate, but his estate papers are on file at the Court House in Kingstree, S,C. and when we were there in 1986 we secured a copy of these papers. John E. Scott was the Administrator and in a petition to the State and District he stated, "....that the said Estate is largely indebted and that it will require the sale of all the personal property except the negroes to liquidate the outstanding debts of said Estate and that it will also probably be necessary to sell the real estate in addition to the personalty already mentioned to satisfy said claims." Dated Oct. 11, 1858, /s/ Jno. E. Scott.

On 19 April 1858, a "true and perfect" inventory of the estate was made, and on the 20th Dec. 1858, a petition was made by J. E. Scott, and it was agreed in court "....to have to sell on the fifth day of January next at his residence at Cedar Swamp after due notice by publication of said sale at this public place in the District and advertisement at least once in the Kingstree Star the Negro slave named Marcus for cash to the highest bidder." Also papers state that a Negro slave named Jack was sold 6th Feb. 1860 for $1202.50. Papers indicate that his estate had "One hundred and eight Negroes."

At the public sale, it is noted that Jennet Drucilla had to buy some of the personal household items, such as bed and mattress, trunks, John's silver watch, gray horse, work table, office desk, lot books, another lot books, large rocking chair, small chair, and that Jennet Drucilla's mother Mary Burgess purchased 2 pine tables, 1 lot tools, wagon, wash stand and goblet.

Jennet Drucilla and her three small sons lived at White Oak during the War Between the States, and at the conclusion of the war all property was lost. In 1866 Jennet Drucilla, the three small boys, and their grandmother, Mary McCottry McGill Burgess, migrated to Hempstead County, Arkansas, where in 1858 Mary's brother, Minto McGill and his family, others from Williamsburg District and Mary's youngest daughter, Elizabeth Amelia, had already gone to homestead. (See story of this migration under BURGESS FAMILY). John's family had been devout Methodist, the McGills and Burgesses had been devout Presbyterians. After the death of John, the children were raised as Presbyterians and two of the boys became Presbyterian ministers.

Issue of John and Jennet Drucilla:

1. Alexander Burgess, b. 1855 in Williamsburg District, S.C.; d.1899, Pine Bluff, Arkansas. Name of wife unknown, issue 3 daughters:
   - 1a. Nancy, m. J. C. Green of Little Rock
   - 2a. Bessie Janet, m. A. J. Guenther of Santa Monica, California. (I still have a letter that she wrote to me when I graduated from high school in 1939, signed Your cousin, Janet Williams Guenther.)
   - 3a. Corine, m. T. J. Hilton, Pine Bluff, Ark.
2. CHARLES CRAIG, b. Williamsburg District, 12 April 1856; d. Mena, Ark., buried Hope, Ark., 18 Aug. 1913; m. Flora Lyle McNutt, 2 Oct. 1883. (SEE CHARLES CRAIG WILLIAMS -5-)(SEE McNUTT FAMILY).
3. John Chapman, b. 11 Sept. 1858, Williamsburg County, S.C.; d. Monroe, La. where he had just entered a hospital on 29 Oct. 1952. (His son lived there); m. 10 May 1893, Mary McRae of Mt. Holly, Ark.; 3 children:
   - 1b. Evelyn; m.Floyd Hubbard, she predeceased her father.
   - 2b. Mary, m. Victor Clark of Dallas, Texas
   - 3b. James Craig of Bastrop, La.

John Chapman Williams was my great uncle; was a Presbyterian minister, graduated from Arkansas College with a B.A. degree in 1882 and received his M.A. in 1886, and honorary degree of D.D. in 1904. In 1885 he was graduated from Columbia Seminary in Columbia, S.C., with the degree of Th.B. He was ordained in the fall of 1885 by Ouachita Presbytery and spent his whole ministry of sixty seven years in that Presbytery, refusing all calls beyond its bounds. During this time he held pastorates at Malvern, Junction City, Aldorado and Scotland, DeQueen, Prescott and Washington. He was truly a country preacher, driving to a different church each Sunday, but preaching at his home church in Washington twice a month. He drove his own car each week to the outlying churches to preach and he called his car his "Smokemobile". He said he bought his car with the money he saved by not smoking.

He attended Presbytery the week before he was taken sick. For sixty three years he was a member of the Home Mission Committee of Ouchita Presbytery and for fifty three years its Chairman. He was also Chairman of Synod's Home Mission Committee for forty one years and when I was a child he would come to Atlanta for the Home Mission Board Meeting and would stay with us - and that is how I got to know him. He was a wonderful man and was like the grandfather that I never knew. My great Uncle John lived to be 94 years of age and was active until the end.

CHARLES CRAIG WILLIAMS
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CHARLES CRAIG 5, John Craig 4, Alexander 3, Charles 2, Mathew 1. Charles Craig Williams, son of Dr. John Craig and Jennet Drucilla (Burgess) Williams, was born in Williamsburg District, S.C. on 12 April 1856. Left fatherless when almost two years old, he was raised, along with his two brothers, by his mother and grandmother. After the death of his father and his father's plantation was sold, the family lived with his grandmother, Mary McCottry McGill Burgess at "White Oak" plantation in Williamsburg. They survived the years during the War Between the States there, and at the close of the war everything was lost!

In 1857 Mary's brother, Minto McGill had moved, along with others from the County, to Arkansas to homestead. After the war, in 1866, Jennet Drucilla and Mary decided to take the three boys and migrate to Arkansas. In 1857 a large group traveled together by train, from S.C., to the Mississippi River, crossed the River by ferry, and traveled by wagon train from the river to southwest Arkansas to homestead in Hempstead County. In 1866 the boys, their mother and grandmother traveled the same way to join the Arkansas people and they, too, homesteaded in Hempstead County, Arkansas. (SEE BURGESS FAMILY FOR MIGRATION STORY).

Uncle John, Charles Craig's brother, wrote my father a letter, dated Dec. 13, 1930, apparently answering my father's letter regarding who his family were, and he said, "We came to Arkansas in 1866 and made crops till we went to college and entered the ministry."

The boys did everything that had to be done, along with their mother and grandmother, around the farm, made crops, harvested, lived in a small cabin, did many chores, went to school, studied at home, mostly taught by their mother and grandmother, who were both excellent scholars, having received an excellent education in South Carolina.

Charles Craig, called Craig, entered Arkansas College in 1875, graduating in 1881. He was prepared for the ministry at Union Theological Seminary in Hampden-Sydney, Virginia (Union Seminary is now at Richmond) and licensed to preach in 1883 by the Ouchita Presbytery in Arkansas. He held three pastorates, the first at Brandon, Miss. for three years, the second in Tyler, Texas where he was for seven years, and the third in Hope, Arkansas (just a few miles from his mother and grandmother) where he was for eighteen years until his death 18 August 1913.

While attending the Seminary at Hampden-Sydney, he lived in a boarding house just off the campus in the home of the James Morton McNutts. There he met Flora Lyle McNutt (SEE McNUTT FAMILY) whom he married shortly after graduation. According to my grandfather's Bible, he has written on a blank page, "Charles C. Williams and Miss Flora Lyle McNutt were married in Hampden-Sidney, Va. October 2, 1883 at 4 P.M. by Revs. J. A. Ramsey, D.D. assisted by Charles White D.D." Rev. J. A. Ramsey was the husband of Flora's sister, Isabella.

From his Memorial, signed by the Stated Clerk of the Presbytery of Ouachita, "...Left fatherless at an early age, his mother moved to Arkansas in 1866, making a home for herself and children near the old Marlbrook Presbyterian Church in Hempstead County. Here he, and his brothers, were reared in a home which was rich in the knowledge of God's Word, and here he fell heir like Timothy of old, to the faith of a mother and grandmother.....Within the compass of this brief notice is contained the story of a life, not long indeed, but full of loving usefulness. He was several times Moderator of Ouachita Presbytery. Several times Commissioner to the General Assembly. A member of the Board of Trustees of Arkansas College, from which institution he received, in 1908, the degree of Doctor of Divinity.

"As a Presbyter, he gave full proof of his ministry. Wise and prudent in counsel, faithful in attendance upon the courts of the church. With an influence that increased with increasing service his voice and presence wielded a power that was used prudently and wisely in the Master's Kingdom.

"As a Pastor, Dr. Williams excelled. He endeared himself alike to all. He was ever ready to spend and to be spent in his Master's service. He loved his work and when the opportunity was offered him to retire, with his last days provided for, he refused, saying, that he wished to die in the harness and if God so willed, in the pulpit.

"This last wish was granted. Sojourning at Mena for a few weeks vacation,he was engaged in conducting Divine service Sabbath morning. He had finished his sermon and given out the closing hymn. As he resumed his seat he fell back into an unconsciousness from which he never rallied, for God took him. He fought the good fight, he finished his course, he kept the faith.

Servant of God, well done!
Rest from thy lov'd employ;
The battle fought, the victory won,
Enter thy Master's joy."

I have the original which was given to my grandmother.

There were many Memoriums and notices in the Hope, Arkansas newspaper and one states, "The many floral offerings were beautiful and elaborate, and in defference to the occasion and as a mark of respect for the deceased the business houses of the city were closed from 9:30 to 10:30."

"No man has ever lived among us who was more highly respected, who was more universally beloved than Dr. Williams. As gentle and confiding as a child his sweet personality drew men to him and the strong virility of his faith impelled men to better living; to high ideals and to a hunger for righteousness....Hope will always be a better town, the lives of its people sweeter and brighter because Dr. Williams lived and wrought here. Men and women will find their way to God's Heaven because Dr. Williams directed them to its shining path."

My grandfather was buried in Cave Hill Cemetery (now Rose Hill) in Hope, Arkansas. He died many years before I was born, so I deeply regret never having known him. But my grandmother, Flora Lyle McNutt Williams, lived with us and even though I was very young when she died I still remember her. She died at our house in Dallas, Texas, 27 August 1926, and is buried by my grandfather's side in the Hope cemetery.

Issue:

1. James McNutt Williams, born Brandon, Miss., 4 Nov. 1884; d. Tyler, Texas 27 April 1886, just 16 months old.
2. JOHN CHAPMAN WILLIAMS, my father, born Tyler Texas, 3 April 1888; named for his uncle, Dr. John Chapman Williams, the minister; d. 17 Jan. 1953, Houston, Texas; m. Margaret Lenora Wolcott, 24 April 1917 (SEE WOLCOTT FAMILY)
3. Charles Craig Williams, Jr., b. Tyler, Texas, 11 Aug. 1891; d. 30 Oct. 1891, Tyler, just 2½ months old.

JOHN CHAPMAN WILLIAMS
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JOHN CHAPMAN 6, Craig 5, John Craig 4, Alexander 3, Charles 2, Mathew 1. John Chapman Williams, son of Rev. Charles Craig and Flora Lyle (McNutt) Williams,

was born in Tyler, Texas, 3 April 1888. The entry he made in his father's Bible says, "John C. Williams and Margaret Lenora Wolcott were married in Atlanta, Ga., April 24, 1917 at 4:30 P.M. by Dr. J. S. Lyons." Dr.Lyons was the minister of the First Presbyterian Church in Atlanta, Ga. at that time. (SEE WOLCOTT FAMILY).

When I was quite small we lived in Dallas, Texas, my father was transferred to Atlanta, then to Houston, Texas, and later back to Atlanta, Ga. My sister was born in Dallas, but I was born in Atlanta, at the home of my Wolcott grandparents!

My father died in Houston, Texas on 17 January 1953 and is buried in Forest Park Cemetery in Houston.

Issue 2 girls:
Because this is my sister and me, I am listing our children and grandchildren. Neither of us have middle names - my father said we would have a middle name when we married, and if we already had one, we would then drop the one we had, thus, no middle name!

1. Margaret, b. 14 March 1920, Dallas, Texas; m. Charles Delone Godwin, 7 Aug. 1943, Fort Smith, Arkansas, son of Ruth Inez (Bresindine)and Dr. Thomas Monroe Godwin; he served in the United States Army during World War II in the United States and European Theatre of War.

   Issue 3 girls:
   1A. Patricia Gayle Godwin, b. 27 April 1945, Atlanta, Ga.; m. 13 Aug. 1972, Marietta, Ga., William Tel Sharpe, Jr., b. 2 Dec. 1946, Millen, Ga., son of William Tel, Sr. and Blanche Dora (Lord) Sharpe.

   Issue 3 children:
   1a. William Christopher Sharpe, b. 20 Feb. 1974, Milledgeville, Ga.
   2a. Michael Brandon Sharpe, b. 19 July 1976, Milledgeville
   3a. Rebecca Elizabeth Lynn Sharpe, b. 16 Nov. 1977, Milledgeville.

   2B. Margaret Lynn Godwin, b. 27 Nov. 1946, Atlanta, Ga.; m. 28 Mar. 1972, Marietta, Ga., Julian Eugene Whigham, son of Julian Bertie and Mildred (Edmondson) Whigham of Coffee County, Ala.

   Issue 2 chuldren:
   1b. Charles Scott Whigham, b. 1 Dec. 1973, Winter Park,Fla.
   2b. Teresa Renee Whigham, b. 17Dec. 1975, WinterPark, Fla.

   3C. Deborah Sue Godwin, b. 22 June 1952, Chattanooga, Tenn.; m. 5 Dec. 1970, Marietta, Ga., Thomas Jacob Van Sant III, b. 8 Aug. 1948, Memphis, Tenn., son of Dr. Thomas Jacob and Tommie Clarise (Christopher) Van Sant.

   Issue 3 children:
   1c. Thomas Jacob Van Sant IV, B. 28 Mar. 1973, Marietta, Ga.
   2c. David Clayton Van Sant, b. 14 Jan. 1976, Marietta, Ga.
   3c. Cory Christopher Van Sant, b. 8 Oct. 1979, Marietta, Ga.

2. DOROTHY, b. 29 Aug. 1921, Atlanta, Ga.; m. 15 Aug. 1947, Atlanta, Ga. Eldridge Hoyle Turner, b. 22 Sept. 1919, Birmingham, Ala., son of

Eldridge, Jr., b. Charlottesville, Va., and Elizabeth (Hoyle) Turner, b. near Tupelo, Miss. Eldridge Hoyle Turner, Sr, served in the United States Air Corps in World War II in the United States and in the China/Burma/India Theatre of War.

Issue 2 Children:
1A. Eldridge Hoyle Turner, Jr., b. 5 Nov. 1953, Atlanta, Ga.

2B. Judith Lenora Turner, b. 14 Feb. 1958, Atlanta, Ga.; m. 8 Sept. 1979, Derwin Otis Cooper, son of Peggy and Dewey Cooper; b. 1 May 1957.

Issue 2 children:
1b. Craig Andrew Cooper, b. 17 July 1984, Atlanta, Ga.
2b. Janet Elizabeth Cooper, b. 8 Feb. 1987, Atlanta, Ga.

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CHAPTER II

CRAIG, CHAPMAN, ALLEN, WAGGONER, WITHERS, JONES and LLEWLLYN FAMILIES

CRAIG FAMILY

The ancestors of our Craig family came from Scotland. Most of the Craigs were adherents of Prince Charles in his efforts to regain the throne of his father, and after the fatal battle of Culloden, April 16, 1746, they deemed it expedient to seek safety. The name "Craig" in the Scottish dialect, signifies a sharp, high rock or crag, and was probably given to the family, or assumed by them, because their hall or castle was situated upon some high rock, thus securing safety to life and property in the days of violence and lawlessness. In the sixteenth century a John Craig was one of the Scottish Reformers and a coadjutor of John Knox. It was this John Craig that proclaimed the banns of marriage between Queen Mary (Mary Queen of Scots) and James Bothwell, but he openly denounced their union. It is not known when our Craigs came from Scotland to Ireland. History of Rowan County, N.C. 1881, p.235.

HUGH CRAIG
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HUGH 1, Hugh was born in 1718, but the place of his birth is not known; he died in 1804 in Rowan County, North Carolina. He married Jane, no maiden name is known, perhaps in Ireland. Jane was born 18 Dec. 1722 and died in Rowan County, N.C. and it is thought that they are buried in that county, but the exact place is not known. Hugh and Jane, and their three sons, all born in Ireland, came into America at Port Walthall,Virginia around 1760. They lived in Chesterfield County, Virginia before going to Rowan County, N.C.

Issue 3 sons, information taken from the John Craig Bible:

1. Alexander, b. Ireland; d. 20 Dec. 1810; m. 29 Nov. 1781,Julia Bullard; was first Clerk of County Court at Chesterfield County, S.C. Was probably the oldest son.
2. James, b. Ireland; d. in Virginia. It is not known who he married, but he left some children that came to South Carolina with John.
3. JOHN, b. 17 Jan. 1755 in Grey Abby, County Down, Ireland; d. 4 April 1839 in Chesterfield, S.C., buried private Craig Cemetery,behind Post Office, Chesterfield; m. SARAH CHAPMAN. (SEE CHAPMAN FAMILY).

JOHN CRAIG
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JOHN 2, Hugh 1. John, son of Hugh and Jane Craig, was born 17 Jan. 1755 in the town of Grey Abby, County Down, Ireland, He died 4 April 1839 in Chesterfield, S.C. and is buried in a small family cemetery across the street from his home in

Chesterfield. Today, the Chesterfield post office is in front of the cemetery on the main street. On 22 Feb. 1797, John married Sarah Chapman, daughter of Lt. James Chapman and his wife, Elizabeth (Betty) Allen. At the time of their marriage, John was 42 years old and Sarah nearly 18. Sarah was born in Westmoreland County, Virginia, 3 March 1778, died in Chesterfield, S.C., 6 May 1852 and is buried in the family cemetery across from the John Craig home.

When John came to South Carolina his trade was that of a gentlemen's tailor, but not finding many clients, he opened a general store, a shoe shop, leather tannery, and a mill, later known as Craig's Mill This mill was a flour mill, a grist mill, a saw mill and a cotton gin. In 1798 he built a large two story house on the main street where he raised his large family.

Today this lovely old home is still occupied by two ladies who are descendants of John and Sarah. In 1986 we visited Chesterfield looking for information on the Craigs and found these ladies living in the old Craig home. They graciously took us on a tour of the house, from basement to third floor attic. They shared with us family papers, copy of John Craig's Bible records, his Will, which is on file at the Darlington Court House today, and a lay-out of the town of Chesterfield showing which of the heirs were left certain lots in John's Will. In the back yard of the house is the old mill stone, from John's mill, brought up to the yard for these ladies. One interesting thing about John's Will is that each of the heirs were left promisary notes from various people owing money at the store, in addition to other property.

John Craig became quite a rich man and a large land owner, owning about 10,000 acres of land, including the land that is now the town of Chesterfield. The town was divided up into lots and, at the time of John's death, these lots were divided among his heirs, a part previously being given to the town for a Court House and other town facilities.

John and Sarah's home is a huge two story white house, plus attic and basement and has a porch across the front and one side. In addition to the front door, there is another one that opens from the side porch into the front room. During the War Between the States, when General William T. Sherman occupied the little town of Chesterfield, he made the front room of this home his headquarters, using the side door for the office entrance. There is a lovely antique table in this room which General Sherman used as his desk.

Issue 11 children, information taken from the John Craig Bible:

1. Hugh, b. 25 Oct. 1799; d. 12 April 1881 in Chesterfield, S.C.; m. Mary McNeill, b. 1801; d. 1873. Hugh was a Methodist Minister.
2. Elizabeth, b. 28 Jan. 1801, no record of marriage or death
3. Alexander (Sandy), b. 22 Sept. 1803; d. before 1850; m. Margaret McLeon, b. 1818
4. Mary, b. 17 April 1805; d. 12 May 1838, buried family cemetery across from house; m. John Evans, 19 Dec. 1821
5. John, Jr., b. 2 April 1807; d. 7 Jan. 1836; m. Agnes Potts
6. SARAH A., b. 7 July 1809; d. 31 Jan. 1860, Dardanelle, Arkansas; m. Dr. Alexander Williams, Nov. 1827. (SEE WILLIAMS FAMILY)
7. Jane Margaret, b. 6 June 1811; d. 6 Jan. 1838, buried family cemetery across from John Craig's house; m. Dr. Charles Williams, brother of Alexander, above.

8. Dorothy, b. 10 Nov. 1813; d. 1841; m. William Jeff Hanna, the first Attorney to serve Chesterfield.
9. James Chapman (twin), b. 4 Dec. 1815; d. 17 Nov. 1877; m. (1) Elizabeth Ann Williams, sister of Alexander and Charles, above; m. (2) Laura Ann Purvis. James Chapman Craig became a physician.
10. Margaret (twin), b. 4 Dec. 1815; no record of marriage or death.
11. William Evans, b. 7 Jan. 1818; d. 26 Oct. 1872; m. Margaret Parke, a native of Sligo, Ireland.

There are only six markers in the family cemetery, across from the Craig home. These are:

John Craig, born in the town of Grey Abby, County Down, Ireland, born January 17, 1755, died 4 April 1839.

Mrs. Sarah Craig, wife of John Craig, born March 3, 1778,died May 6, 1852, aged 74 years 2 months and 3 days.

Peggy A. Williams, daughter of Doctor Alexander Williams, died November 9, 1834, aged 16 months. (She is the granddaughter of John and Sarah, daughter of Sarah A. (Craig) and Alexander Williams.)

Mrs. Jane Margaret Williams, daughter of John Craig and wife of Dr. Charles Williams, died January 6, 1838, aged 26 years 7 mo.

Mary E. Evans, daughter of John Craig and wife of John Evans, died July 15, 1838, aged 34.

Thomas Enoch Evans, son of Mary and John Evans.

Just a short distance from this family cemetery, near the main part of the town, one street over, lies the Chesterfield City Cemetery, and many of the Craig family members are in this cemetery.

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CHAPMAN FAMILY

The name Chapman is of Saxon origin. The Saxon word chapman means a chapman, marketman, merchant, monger or cheapner. The several American branches of this family had their origin in England where the family has long been prominent, letters of nobility having been granted as early as the fifteenth century.

The Royal Book of Crests (London 1863) shows the crests of ten different branches of the Chapman family. The different families have, however, the same coat of arms which is described as follows:

Arms: Per chev. argent and gu. in the centre a crescent counterchanged.
Crest: Arm embowered in armour holding a broken spear encircled with a wreath.
Motto: Crescit sub ponders virtus.

The first members of this family to come to Virginia were Richard and Thomas Chapman who arrived on the ship "Tryail" in 1610. Other members of the family

came on the ship "Bonadventure" April 3, 1635. From A History of Caroline County,Va. by Marshall Wingfield, p. 409. We do not know when our John Chapman's family came. No record can be found before 1729 on our John Chapman.

JOHN CHAPMAN
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The first information that has been found on our Chapman family was from Deed Book "B", p. 3, 23 March 1729 from John Latham of Caroline County to John Chapman of King and Queen County, 3540 lbs. tobacco, 295 acres in St. George Parish, Spotsylvania County.

There are several other deeds for land throughout the remainder of John Chapman's life. How he acquired his land is not known, whether inherited, land grant, etc. John, in all probability, is not the immigrant. However, no information can be found regarding parents, etc.

John Chapman's birth date and place is unknown and the name of his first wife and her death date is unknown. I have searched the records and have found nothing else. John had six children by his first wife and five by his second wife, Mary Allen, daughter of Erasmus Withers Allen, and his wife, Sarah. Mary Allen was born 23 November 1739.

From Spotsylvania County Records, Will Book E, 1772-1798, p. 30, book edited by William Armstrong Crozier, we find "CHAPMAN, JOHN, Berkeley Parish, d. Dec. 29, 1775, pro. Mar.21,1776. Wit. Vincent Vass, Francis Turnley, Thomas Chapman. Ex. sons, William and Benjamin Chapman, Leg. wife (no name given); sons. Edward, James, Benjamin, Thomas, Allen, Robert, Erasmus and Thrashley Chapman; daughter Sarah Chapman. (page 143)." However, in the Will itself, one of the last items, all of the children are mentioned, including William and Mary. Also, the Codicil states, "It is my desire that my loving wife shall act as an executrix if it should be her desire."

Issue by 1st wife, name unknown:

1. William, b. 1739; d. ca. 1802; m. (1) Ann Broadus; m. (2) Mary Buford; was a Captain in the Revolutionary War.
2. Edward
3. Mary
4. JAMES, b. 25 March 1749; d. ca. 1782 of small pox in the Revolutionary War, was a Lieutenant; m. Elizabeth (Betty) Allen, daughter of Erasmus Withers Allen and Sarah Allen, she was sister of John's second wife. (SEE ALLEN FAMILY).
5. Benjamin, b. 13 Feb. 1752; m. 14 March 1776, Elizabeth Caswell.
6. Thomas, b. ca. 1754; possibly died during Revolutionary War.

Issue by 2nd wife, Mary Allen:

7. Allen, b. 10 June 1760; d. 2 Mar. 1823 Cheraw, S.C.; m. (1) Rachel Powe; (2) Eleanor DeWitt. Was Lieutenant Revolutionary War.
8. Robert, b.ca. 1762, died infancy.
9. Erasmus, b. ca.1765; m. 6 Jan. 1785 Nancy Lewis
10. Thrashley, b. 26 May 1772; d. ca. 1826 Wayne County, Miss.; m. Catherine Edwards of Society Hill, S.C.
11. Sarah, b. ca. 1774

JAMES CHAPMAN
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JAMES 2, John 1. James, son of John Chapman and his first wife, was born 25 March 1749 in Virginia and died ca. 1782 in the Revolutionary War of small pox. At that time, he was a resident of Rowan County, N.C. He married Elizabeth (Betty) Allen, sister of John Chapman's wife. (SEE ALLEN FAMILY) Betty was born 6 March 1752, in Virginia, daughter of Sarah and Erasmus Withers Allen. James had left Virginia and gone to Rowan County, N.C.some time before October 1777, where we find, "James Chapman, Lieutenant, under General Griffith Rutherford". In 1780 we find that 640 acres was granted James by the State of North Carolina in the Forks of the Yadkin River next to William Bryan, who married the sister of Daniel Boone. The brother of James' wife, Thomas Allen, married the adopted daughter of Daniel Boone and went with the Boone family to Kentucky in 1781.

After the death of James, Betty (Allen) Chapman married Nathan Shepherd before May 1792. They moved to Chesterfield, S.C.

Issue James and Betty, 3 children:

1. John, lived in Chesterfield, S.C.
2. SARAH, b. 3 March 1778, Westmoreland County, Va.; d.6 May 1852; Chesterfield, S.C.; m. John Craig, 22 Feb. 1797. (SEE CRAIG FAMILY).
3. William, b. 12 Jan. 1789, N.C.; d. 1 Sept. 1858, Wayne Co., Miss.; m. ca. 1804 Margaret Caroline Craig, daughter of Alexander and Julia (Bullard) Craig.

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ALLEN FAMILY

JOHN ALLEN
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JOHN 1. John, son of Thomas or William and Jane Allen, married Barbara Withers, daughter of Erasmus and Frances (Jones) Withers. (SEE WITHERS FAMILY). They had three children:

1. Erasmus, Sr., Christened 10 Sept. 1671, Christ Church Parish, Middlesex County, Va. (from Parish Register of Christ Church, 1653-1812,p.9); m. Dinah Waggoner, daughter of John and Rachel Waggoner.
2. WILLIAM, SR., b. 1677, Essex County, Va.; m. Margaret Waggoner, daughter of John and Rachel Waggoner, on 11 June 1696, he was only 19 years of age. (SEE WAGGONER FAMILY)
3. John, Jr., b. 1673, Old Rappahannock County, Va.

WILLIAM ALLEN
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WILLIAM 2, John 1. William, son of John and Barbara (Withers) Allen, was born in 1677; married Margaret Waggoner, daughter of John and Rachel Waggoner on 11 June 1696. William's estate papers are dated 17 March 1740.

Issue 4 children:
1. William, Jr., his will, Essex County, Va.1739.
2. Thomas, his estate papers, 1742, Essex County
3. ERASMUS WITHERS, b. 1712; m. Sarah, 6 Jan. 1738; d. 26 Oct. 1787. His Will Rowan County, N.C. probated 1789.
4. James, m. Ursula; d. 1745

ERASMUS WITHERS ALLEN
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ERASMUS 3, William 2, John 1. Erasmus, son of William and Margaret (Waggoner) Allen was born 6 Feb. 1712; died 26 Oct. 1787. He married 6 Jan. 1738, Sarah, who was born in England on 13 Feb. 1716 and died 1805. Around 1744 they moved from Essex County, Virginia to Spotsylvania County. During the years 1772-74 they lived in Darlington County, South Carolina, and again moved to Rowan County, N.C., where his Will was probated. From Will Book "C", p. 259, Erasmus Withers Allen, 26 Oct. 1787, prb. 1789. Wife Sarah, 7 children, Sons: William and Thomas. Daus.: Rachel Powe, Hannan Estes, Millay White, Betty Chapman, Sally Terrell, Dau. Mary Chapman's 4 children: Allan, Erasmus, Threshley, Sally. Dau. Susannah Dewitt's 5 children: Frances, Salley, William, James, and Thomas. Exrs.: sons William and Allen Chapman. Wit: Edward Van Harbin, Jesse Bryan, Andrew Hunt."

Issue 10 children:
1. Mary, b. 23 Nov. 1739; m. John Chapman (SEE CHAPMAN FAMILY)
2. William, b. 31 Dec. 1741; m. 1754 Chesterfield Co., Va., Sarah DeWitt, b. 1730; d. 1792.
3. Rachel, b. 16 April 1743, Va.; d. S.C.; m. Thomas Powe.
4. Hannah, b. 7 May 1745; m. Thomas Estes, b. 1742, d.1821.
5. Amelia, b. 26 Aug. 1747; d. 1805; m. (1) Ruben White; m. (2) Alexander Craig.
6. Susannah, b. 23 Jan. 1749; m. DeWitt
7. ELIZABETH, b. 6 Jan. 1752; m. (1) James Chapman,son of John Chapman (SEE CHAPMAN FAMILY); m. (2) Nathan Shepherd. They lived in Rowan County; after the death of James, Elizabeth and her second husband, moved to Chesterfield, S.C.
8. Threashley, b. 3 June 1754, may have died young, not mentioned in father's Will.
9. Thomas, b. 23 Sept. 1756; m. adopted daughter of Daniel Boone.
10. Sarah, b. 2 Feb. 1760; m. William Terrel, Jr.

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WAGGONER FAMILY

John and Rachel Waggoner were the parents of Margaret who married William Allen (SEE ALLEN FAMILY). The only information I have found on this family are the Wills of John and Rachel. John's will is dated 12th day Feb. 1715. "This will was proved 15 day of May 1716 by Rachiel Waggoner, Exectris Therein named." This was in Essex County, Virginia. It mentions his wife, Rachel, and children named:
1. My daughter, wife of William Allen
2. My son, Herbert

3. My son, Samuel
4. My son, Benjamin
5. My daughter, Dinah, wife of Erasmus Allen

The Will of Rachell Waggoner of Southfarnham Parish in Essex County, is dated 6 April 1717, proved 16 Sept. 1718 by Benjamin Waggner, Executor. Most of her estate was left to "my son Benja". She mentions other items left to "my son Herbert....my son Samll....my son-in-law, Wm. Allen....my granddaughter Rachel Cheany....my granddaughter Rachel Wagner...." To her daughters Margaret Allen and Dinah Allen she left "her clothing, rings, pewter plates, muslin, silks, laces, find thredd, stockings, candlesticks, and personal items." In addition, "all my thread and new linin not before given be equally divided between my five children."

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WITHERS FAMILY

Erasmus Withers and his wife Frances (Jones) Withers (SEE JONES FAMILY) were the parents of Barbara Withers who married John Allen (SEE ALLEN FAMILY). Erasmus Withers, whose birth is unknown, died in 1681, left a non cupative will. Erasmus Withers was the grandson of Erasmus Snelling of London, England. He first lived in Middlesex County because, from the Parish Register of Christ Church, Middlesex County, Va. 1653-1812, p. 9, "1671 Christenings, Frances, daughter of Frances and Erasmus Withers, Chrd. March 17th 1671." His will was probated in Northumberland County, Va., Ord. Book 4, p. 94, 15 June 1681.

Frances (Jones) Withers married a second time, after the death of Erasmus, to John Curtis on 20 July 1687. It is possible there were children from this marriage, but no record was found. The Curtis family lived in Spotsylvania County, Va.

Issue of Erasmus and Frances, 4 children:

1. Elizabeth, m. John Dudley, lived in Spotsylvania Co.
2. BARBARA, m. John Allen (SEE ALLEN FAMILY).
3. Frances, christened 17 March 1671; m. Charles Reeves, Essex and Spotsylvania Counties.
4. Erasmus, died young.

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JONES FAMILY

REV. ROWLAND JONES was the Vicar of Wendover in Bucks County, England. He was born in 1608 and he desired to be buried in the Parish Church of Wendover. In his Will he mentions all of his children except Robert and Susanna and it is thought they inherited their share before coming to America. It is thought that his wife's name was Alice, no maiden name given. Rev. Rowland Jones was educated at Cambridge or Oxford.

Issue 10 children:

1. Ann, m. ____Heritage

2. Mary, m. ____Thompson
3. Michael, came to Virginia with his brother, Robert.
4. ROBERT, came to America ca. 1653 by Mathew Williams, James City County, Va.; m. Martha Llewllyn(SEE LLEWLLYN FAMILY); Will proved 1 May 1675.
5. Susanne, m. William Bressie of Isle of Wight Co., Va.
6. Rev. Rowland Jones, b. 1640; d. 23 April 1688, Williamsburg, Va. (See information below).
&. Jane, m. ____Gooch
8. Elizabeth, d. in England before her father.
9. Edward of York and Isle of Wight Co., Va.
10. John of Isle of Wight

Rev. Rowland Jones, son of Rev. Rowland Jones of Bucks County, England, and brother of our ROBERT was the first vicar of the Bruton Parish Church in Williamsburg, Va. He was buried in the churchyard at Bruton Parish and during the restoration of the Church in 1905, his marker, being well-worn and barely readable, was moved to the inside of the Church and, facing the alter, it is at the far left, beyond where the choir sits. The marker inscription is in Latin, but is translated as follows:

"Here lies Rowland Jones Clergyman (or priest). Born at Swimbrook near Burford in the county of Oxford. Alumnus of Merton College in Oxford University. First and most esteemed pastor of Bruton Parish, Virginia. He discharged his pastoral functions faithfully for fourteen years for the parish. He died on April 23 in the year of our Lord 1688, in the 48th year of his life."

It should be noted that this Rev. Rowland Jones and his second wife, Jane Champion, had a son named Orlando Jones, whose daughter Frances Jones married Col. John Dandridge. Their daughter, Martha, first married Daniel P. Custis and her second husband was George Washington. From Tennessee Cousins by Worth S. Ray, p. 333,343.

ROBERT JONES
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ROBERT, son of Rev. Rowland Jones and his wife, Alice, of Bucks County, England, birth unknown, will probated 1 March 1676, at Fleets Bay, Northumberland County, Va. Robert was a soldier in the army of King Charles I before coming to America in 1653. He married Martha Llewllyn, daughter of Daniel Llewllyn and his wife, Ann Hallom, widow of Robert Hallom. Robert made many trips to England regarding his business and records show, "Robert Jones, Englishman, factor in Virginia....and saith yt having brought a quantitie of Tobacco over with him, his business is to make sale of the same and to employ himself in his affairs relating to Virginia."

At a court held for Northumberland County, Virginia, the 20 day of May 1670. This day Mr. Robert Jones was sworn High Sheriff for this county....At a court holden for the county of Northumberland the 8th day of September 1662, Present....Mr. Robt. Jones....From Will Records indexed by Judith McGhan, p.255.

From Tennessee Cousins by Worth S. Ray, p. 332, we find Robert Jones of Fleet's Bay,Northumberland County, Va., Brother of Rev. Rowland Jones, of Williamsburg, Virginia.

Martha Jones' Will was proved 20 Dec. 1677 by her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Haynes.

Issue Robert and Martha,8 children:

1. William, d. at 60 yrs.of age; served as Burgess, Sheriff and Justice.
2. Samuel, b. ca. 1662; d. Oct. 1697
3. Robert, b. 166_; d. 1703; m. (1) dtr. of Jas. Waddy; m. (2) Sarah Garlington, Salisbury.
4. Mary, m. George Wale of Lancaster Co., Va.
5. Elizabeth, m. Thomas Haynes
6. Margaret, m. Christopher Garlington
7. FRANCES, m. (1) Erasmus Withers; m. (2) John Curtis (SEE WITHERS FAMILY).
8. Maurice, inherited land from his Godfather, John Cossens.

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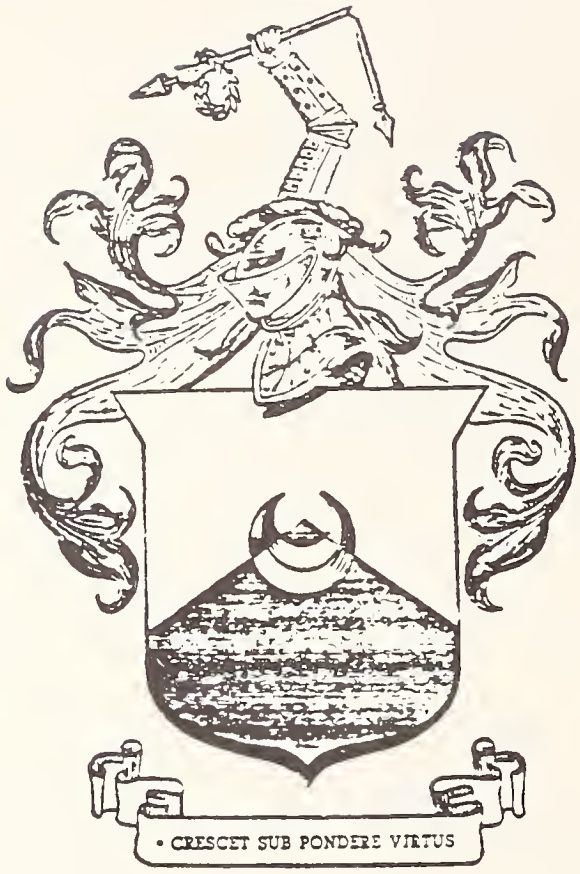
LLEWLLYN (LUELLIN) FAMILY

DANIEL LLEWLLYN came to Virginia in or before 1634 from Chelmsford, Essex, England and settled in Charles City County, Virginia near Shirley Hundred. From Patent Book No. 2, page 78, we find, "John Cawsey, planter of Charles City in Va. unto Walter Auston, Gent. of Causes Cleare, by estimation 200 acs. neare Sherley hundred....Feb. 7, 1634, Signed John Cawsey, Witnesses: Richard Milton, DANIEL LUELLIN." So, Daniel must have been here in 1634. Also found are land grants from Patent Book No. 2, to Daniell Luellin, 270 acs. Chas. City Co., 26 Oct. 1650, p. 268. Lyeing on the head of Shirly hundred for Trans. of 6 persons. Another from Patent Book No. 2, p. 95, for 956 acs. on the Northermost part on the up. branches of Turkey s. Cr.; 100 acs. in Sherley Hundred; 100 acs. purchased of Robert Partin, the elder, granted Partin Feb. 20, 1619....unto sd. Luellin by deed dated Apr. 13, 1642. 636 acs. Chas. City Co., 10 Mar. 1655, p. 379, to Capt. Daniel Luellen, Patent Book 3. Other land grants were issued to Daniel, but in Patent Book No. 5, we find a summation of his land, "DANIEL LUELLIN (LEWELLIN), 636 acs. Chas. City Co., 15 May 1666, p. 518, 270 acs...upon the head of Shirly Hundred....200 acs. in or neare Shirly Hundred....63 acs. in Shirly hundred....63 acs. another part in Shirly....40 acs. next towards Shirly hundred....Granted unto Capt. DANLL. LUELLIN, Dec'd. 10 Mar. 1665, & now become due sd. DANLL. as son & heire."

We do not know the birth place or date of Daniel, but, according to the above, he died 10 Mar. 1665 in Charles City County, Virginia. He was a Justice of the Peace for Charles City County, Captain of the Militia, a member of the House of Burgesses for Henrico County at the session of March 1642-3, October 1644, Oct. 1646, Nov. 1652, March 1654-55, March 1655-6 and Dec. 1656. From The Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Vol.XIII, p. 54-55.

Daniel and Anne had 3 children:

1. Daniel, whose wife was daughter of Capt. John Stith
2. MARTHA, d. 1677; m. Robert Jones (SEE JONES FAMILY) son of Rev. Rowland Jones of Bucks County, England.
3. Margaret



Chapman

"Virtue increases under oppression"

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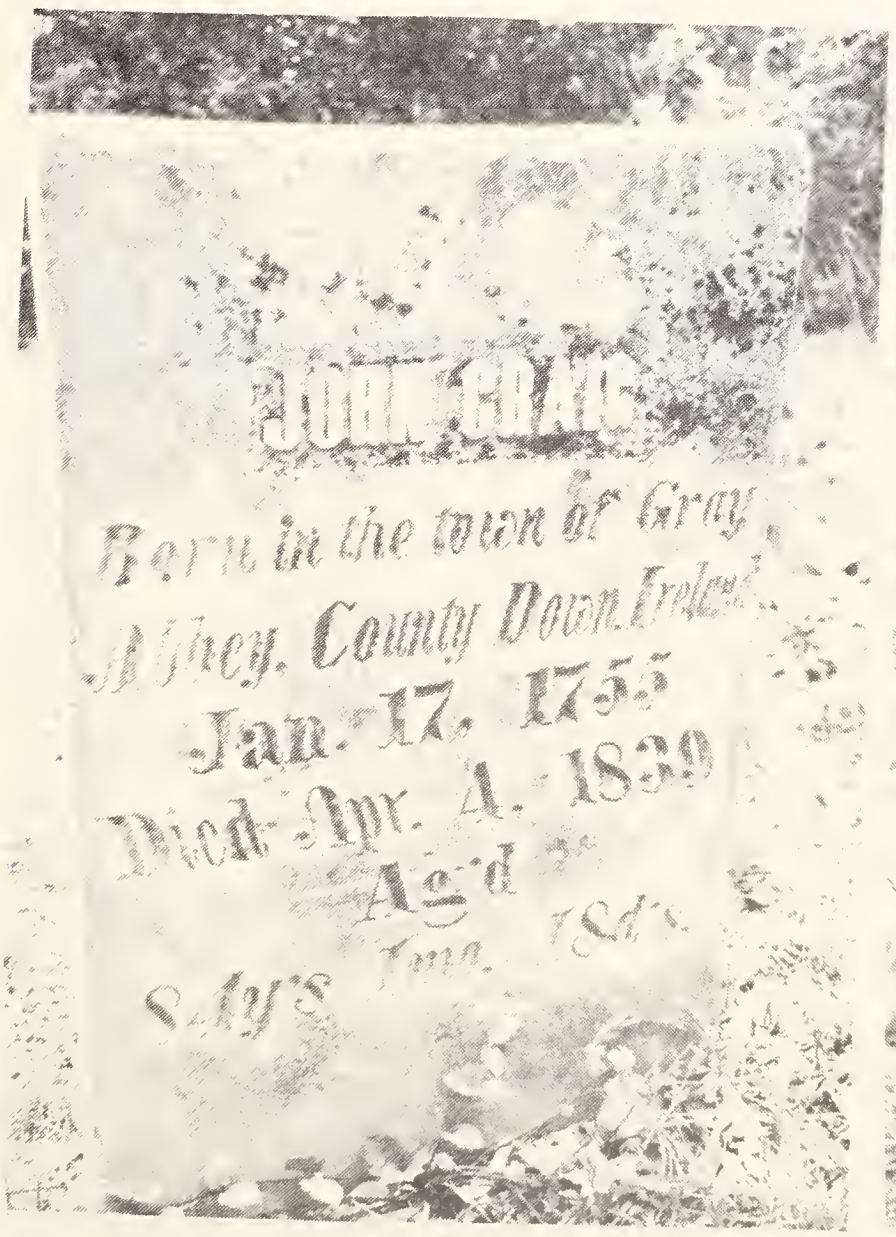
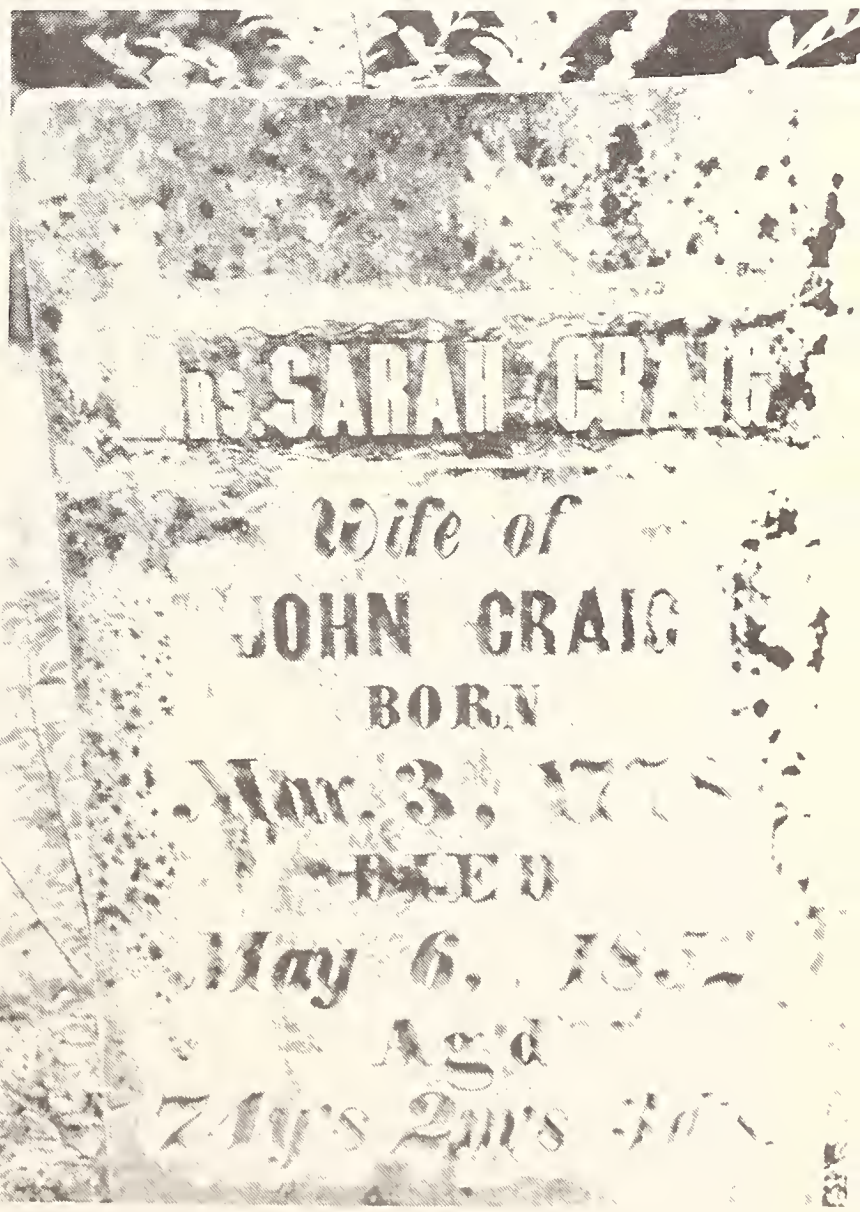
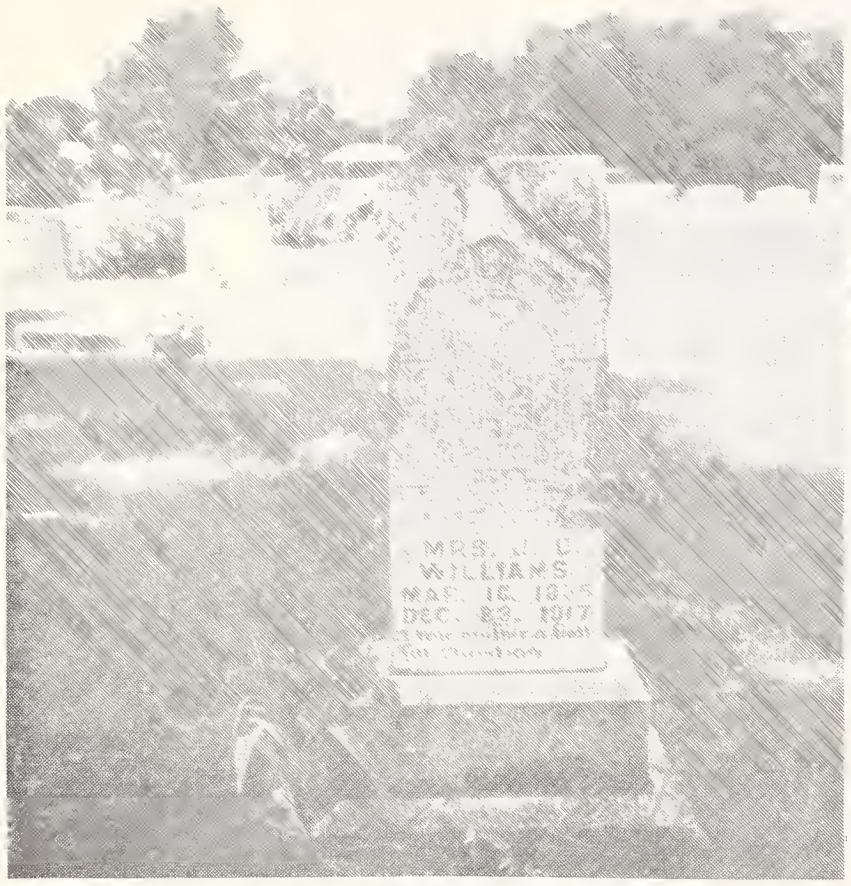
The John Craig house, Chesterfield, S.C.

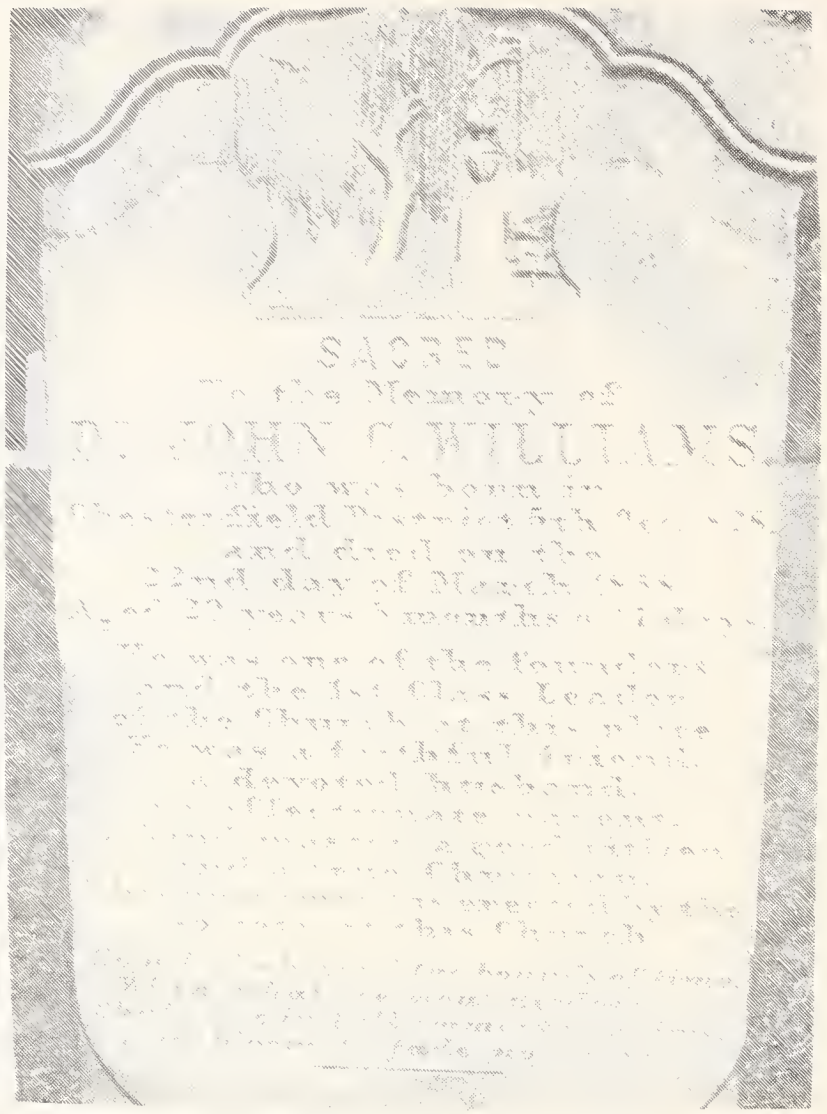




The tombstones of John and Sarah Craig, Family Cemetery, Chesterfield, S.C.

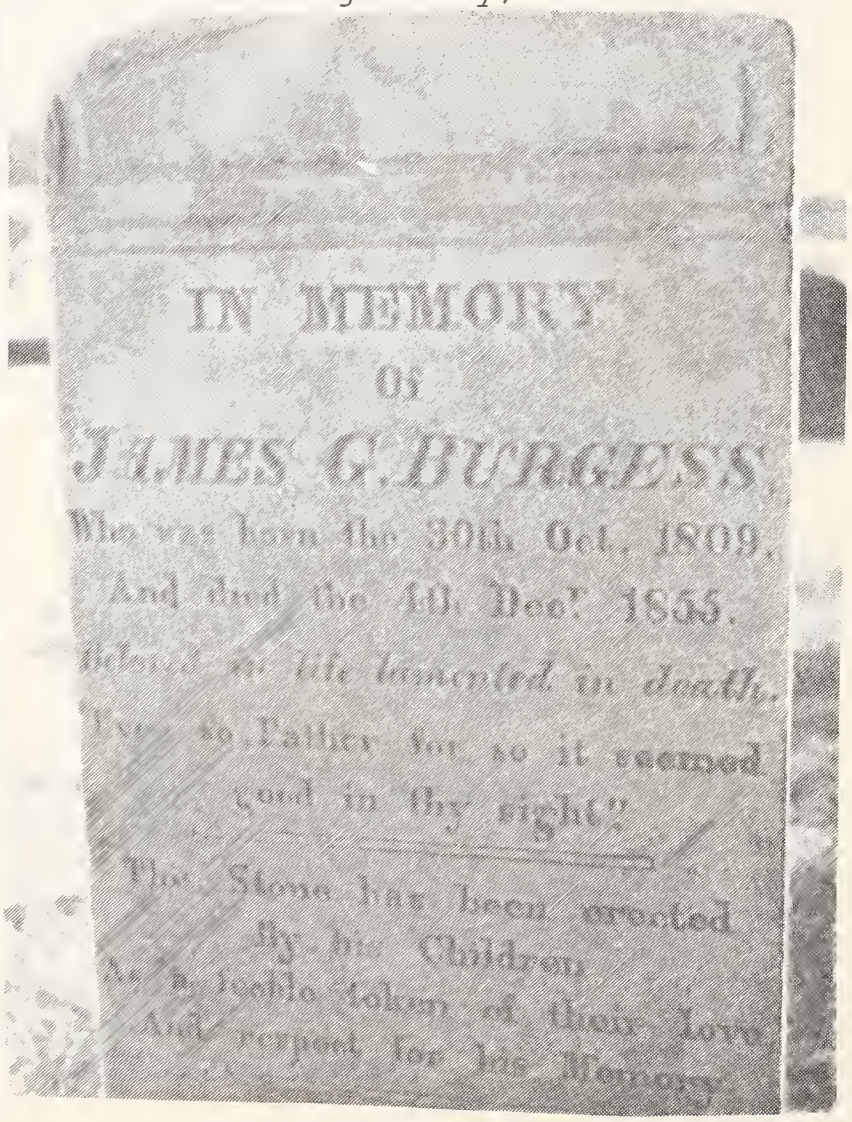


Jennet Drucilla Burgess Williams' stone
Hempstead County, Arkansas



Dr. John Craig Williams' stone
Williamsburg County, S.C.

Mary McCottry McGill Burgess' stone
Hempstead County, Arkansas



James Gamble Burgess' stone
Williamsburg County, S.C.

CHAPTER III

BURGESS, SCOTT, McCREA and McCALLA FAMILIES

BURGESS FAMILY

When the English decree of 1538 required that all persons, who had not already done so, adopt family names, many who lived in walled towns and who held tenements therein were registered under the name BURGESS. It was given only to substantial men. A representative of a borough in the English Parliament is called a Burgess. The popular branch of the Colonial legislatures of both Virginia and Maryland was known as The House of Burgesses.

During the 17th Century a number of Englishmen migrated to the northern part of Ireland, and from County Down, Ireland, in 1772, John and William Burgess came to South Carolina. William was granted one hundred acres of land on the Enoree River in upper South Carolina, while John was granted two hundred acres in Craven County on Bull Savannah and Clapp Swamp, waters of the Black River on April 2, 1772. On 23 June 1773, 250 acres, and June 1, 1775, 200 additional acres. At the time, the standard procedure was to grant a man 50 acres for himself and 50 acres for each member of his family, and later additional grants if he showed capacity for using more lands. John must have been the first settler in that area since his lands were described as bounded on all other sides, except swamps,by vacant lands.

JOHN BURGESS

JOHN 1. John, birth date and place unknown, parents unknown, came to Williamsburg District in 1772, and brought his three sons, John, William and James, all three born in Ireland. John's wife was Margaret Gamble who died in Ireland, but her two brothers, James and Robert Gamble were already settled in Williamsburg many years before. According to William Willis Boddie's History of Williamsburg, p. 225, Robert Gamble's Will is dated 5 Dec. 1809....and one of the executors of his will was his nephew, James Burgess.

John Burgess' land was in the area now known as Pudding Swamp in Williamsburg County. He became a prosperous planter and cattleman and during the Revolutionary War he furnished supplies to the army. On file in the office of the Historical Commission of S.C. in Columbia are "Pay Indents" which read: "Received from Mr. John Burgess forage for 14 horses and provisions for six men as we are on our way to Headquarters", certified by John McKenzie, Captain, April 30, 1781, "Received from Mr. John Burgess three steers for use of General Marion, by me, William Matthews. Certified by Fran. Marion." "Received of Mr. John Burgess 3060 pounds of beef for General Greene's Army. Thos. Wade, Comsy."

John was one of the commissioners appointed by the General Assembly in 1788 "to survey and lay out the Town of Williamsburg, now Kingstree, in the District of Georgetown". He served until 1793, when he resigned and his son, James, was elected a member of the commission.

John died about 1794, when he was more than 80 years of age. He is buried on his plantation in the acre which was designated as the Burgess Cemetery. However, his grave is unmarked, as are a number of graves in this Cemetery. Several others that I have been searching for, I am told, are definitely there, but their graves are unmarked.

Issue 3 sons:

1. John,Jr.
2. WILLIAM, b. 19 August 1770 in Ireland; d. 24 Jan. 1816; m. Janet Scott, daughter of Lieutenant Joseph and his wife, Janet (McCrea) Scott on 27 Aug. 1795. (SEE SCOTT FAMILY)
3. James, m. Margaret Dick about 1793; d. 1816

WILLIAM BURGESS
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WILLIAM 2, John 1. William, son of John and Margaret (Gamble) Burgess, was born in Ireland on 19 August 1770 and died in Williamsburg District, South Carolina on 24 January 1816. He is buried in the Burgess Cemetery with no marker. On 27 August 1795 he married Janet Scott, born 2 Nov. 1774; died 18 July 1856. She was the daughter of Lt. Joseph Scott and his wife, Janet (McCrea) Scott. (SEE SCOTT FAMILY). In Marriages, Deaths and Estate Notices from Georgetown, S.C. Newspapers 1791-1861 from the Pee Dee Times, it states, issue of Aug. 13, 1856 "Died at the residence of her son, Mr. Samuel A. Burgess, in Sumter District, S.C. on the 18th July 1856, Mrs. Jennet Burgess, relict of William Burgess, Esq. in the 82nd year of her age."

Issue 9 children:

1. Elizabeth M., b. 30 June 1796; d. 27 Jan. 1816; m. Joseph Scott, 22 June 1815
2. Margaret Gamble, b. 26 Dec. 1797; d. 17 Sept. 1805
3. Joseph Scott, 6 Sept. 1800; d. 11 Jan. 1857; m. 10 April 1823, Harriet T. Conyers
4. William Robinson, b. 1 Dec. 1802; d. 12 Jan. 1863
5. Robert, b. 31 Aug. 1805; d. 5 Sept. 1826
6. John Alexander, b. 18 Aug. 1807; d. 23 Feb. 1883; m. 16 Feb. 1832, Margaret Leonora Montgomery
7. JAMES GAMBLE, b. 30 Oct. 1809; d. 4 Dec. 1855; m. 24 April 1834, Mary McCottry McGill (SEE McGILL FAMILY)
8. Samuel Addison, b. 7 Feb. 1812; d. 9 Jan. 1895; m. 24 Dec. 1835, Eliza Epps
9. Janet Martha Lemira, b. 16 July 1814; d. 3 Oct. 1831; m. Leonard Dozier

There is an article that must not be omitted from this record, from the Williamsburg newspaper, dated Thursday, 6 April 1922, written by William Willis Boddie. To - Editor, County Record; regarding the first contribution to The Williamsburg Society (long ago defunct). "It is the MS. made by Janet Scott Burgess, July 8, 1832, which shows the family records of Alexander McCrea, John Burgess, Joseph Scott and of others. This excellent woman copied on the fly leaves of her old Bible, 'Printed by Alexander Kincaid, Printer to His Majesty, Edinburg, 1762' the names, dates of births, marriages, and deaths of the people of her tribe. This copy that was made is a priceless heritage to the McCreas, Burgesses, most of the Scotts, and some of the Epps, and will be kept forever in the archives of The Williamsburg Society.

"....Alexander McCrea was born in the Shetland Islands, lived about thirty years in Ireland, and from thence came to Williamsburg in 1736. He is the ancestor of the present Williamsburg McCreas, Burgesses, many of the Scotts, and some of the Epps, and of other peoples. His daughter married Joseph Scott, the same Lieutenant Joseph Scott who was so sorely wounded at the Battle of Black Mingo that he was crippled for life, and whose life so appeals to the writers of history and of fiction. The descendants of Lieutenant Jos. Scott have now the same rifle ball that pierced his thigh.

"John Burgess came from Ireland to Williamsburg in 1770. Many of the Burgess tribe left England during the seventeenth century, some of them migrating directly to Virginia and others going to the Northern part of Ireland. It is from this Irish branch that John Burgess came. This Burgess family is of ancient Saxon lineage, and servicable in all English history to King and Country. Williamsburg John Burgess had two sons, William and James. William married Janet Scott, daughter of Joseph Scott, and grand-daughter of Alexander McCrea.

"This Janet Scott Burgess knew and loved her people and regarded them worth while to record their comings and goings in this world. It is hoped that present day grandmothers in Williamsburg county will love their own so that they will make records as Janet Burgess did."

What a wonderful article!! Mr. Boddie was the author of the History of Williamsburg County, South Carolina. The Bible that contained all of this information, I understand, burned long years ago in a house fire, after the Williamsburg Society became defunct. However, I do not know who, but one of her descendants copied down most of the information which came to me from Mrs. Mary R. Reid of Kingstree, S.C.

This Janet Scott Burgess was my great, great, great grandmother! It is my hope that some day my record will be passed down to our descendants.

JAMES GAMBLE BURGESS
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JAMES 3, William 2, John 1. James, seventh child of William Burgess and his wife Janet (Scott) Burgess, was born 30 October 1809 in Williamsburg District, S.C. and died there 4 Dec. 1855. James is buried in the Burgess Cemetery in Williamsburg County and he does have a marker to identify his grave, and we found this when we were there in the fall of 1988.

On 24 April 1834 he married Mary McCottry McGill, daughter of Samuel McGill and his wife, Mary Anne (Sanders)McGill. Mary was born 7 Oct. 1814 in Williamsburg County and died 17 July 1898 in Hempstead County, Arkansas, buried in Marlbrook Cemetery, on the land she and her daughter gave for a Presbyterian Church and Cemetery.

When James' father, William, died the five living sons inherited the land and "....this twenty sixth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Eight and in the Sixty Second year of the independence of the United States of America." James G. Burgess sold his rights to the land to his four brothers, Joseph S., William R., John A., and Samuel A. Burgess, Williamsburg County Deed Book, page 289 and 290. Deed Book "E", p 469, shows

that James G. Burgess and William R. Scott, "....this third day of August in the year of our Lord, One thousand Eight Hundred and thirty seven...." purchased Eleven Hundred and twenty three acres from Samuel Scott, "....situated lying and being on White Oak Swamp in the district and State aforesaid to said James G. Burgess and William R. Scott...." This was the plantation that the James Burgess family lived on and when James died in 1855 Mary McCottry McGill Burgess, his wife, continued to live there with her younger daughter, the older daughter already being married. It was this plantation that Mary, the older daughter, Jennet Drucilla, and the three small sons of Jennet Drucilla lived on until the end of the War Between the States, at which time everything was lost.

Issue of James and Mary, 2 daughters:

1. JENNET DRUCILLA, b. 16 March 1835 in Williamsburg District, S.C.; d. 23 Dec. 1917, at the home of her younger son, Dr. John Chapman Williams, buried Marlbrook Cemetery, Hempstead County, Arkansas; m. Dr. John Craig Williams, Jan. 1854 in Williamsburg District, S.C. (SEE WILLIAMS FAMILY).

   Issue 3 sons:
   1a. Alexander Burgess Williams (SEE WILLIAMS FAMILY).
   1b. Rev. Charles Craig Williams (SEE WILLIAMS FAMILY).
   1c. Rev. John Chapman Williams (SEE WILLIAMS FAMILY).

2. Elizabeth Amelia, b. 3 Jan. 1837 in Williamsburg District, S.C.; d. 15 March 1885 in Hempstead County, Ark., buried Marlbrook Cemetery; m. William Elisha Bell on 23 May 1860, Elisha b. 20 Nov. 1828, Wayne County, Kentucky; d. 1 Sept. 1873, Hempstead County, Arkansas, buried Marlbrook Cemetery.

   Issue 7 children:
   2a. Andrew Murphey, b. 1861; d. 1861, buried Marlbrook Cemetery.
   2b. William Elisha, Jr., b. 7 Dec. 1862; m. 26 Aug. 1880, Mattie Blevins; d. 27 July 1941, Hugo, Okla; issue 7 children.
   2c. William James, b. 1864; d. 1864, buried Marlbrook Cemetery.
   2d. Mary Jane, b. 28 Dec. 1865; m. Thomas Hartless; d. 10 Oct. 1905, buried Marlbrook Cemetery; Issue 3 children.
   2e. John Jerimiah, b. 1868; d. 1869; buried Marlbrook Cemetery.
   2f. Charles Dennis, b. 15 June 1873; m. Lizzie Wicker; d. 11 Dec. 1914; Issue 9 children.
   2g. Minto, b. 21 July 1870; d. 21 July 1916, buried Marlbrook Cemetery; m. Lilla Williams; Issue 6 children

   Elizabeth Amelia's seventh child, Dr. Minto Bell, named for Minto Witherspoon McGill, whom Elizabeth Amelia came to Arkansas with, had a daughter, Bamma Lera Bell, who married Noel Lester White, who sent me xerox copies of her grandmother's Bible! After the death of Bamma White, her daughter, Wilma Thurman (Mrs. James) secured more information and helped me tremendously. My thanks to Bamma Lera Bell White and Wilma White Thurman for the names and dates of the children of Elizabeth Amelia, plus additional information.

On 4 Dec. 1855 James G. Burgess died, and in 1857 Minto Witherspoon McGill, brother of Mary McCottry McGill Burgess, migrated to Southwest Arkansas (Hempstead County) with his family, two sisters and their families, other Williamsburg people, and the youngest daughter of Mary and James, Elizabeth Amelia.

On 23 May 1860 Elizabeth Amelia Burgess married William Elisha Bell, born 20 Nov. 1828 in Wayne County, Kentucky, who had also migrated to Arkansas. He fought in the War Between the States, in the 20th Arkansas Infantry, and came home, but died just a few years later on 1 Sept. 1873. Elizabeth Amelia died 15 March 1885; both are buried in the churchyard at Marlbrook; also buried on the same row are other members of their family.

In January, 1854 Jennet Drucilla Burgess married Dr. John Craig Williams, son of Dr. Alexander and Sarah A. (Craig) Williams, of Chesterfield, S.C. (SEE WILLIAMS FAMILY). John was a physician and owned a plantation in Williamsburg. I feel sure, but cannot prove this, that this is the same land that belonged to John's grandfather, Charles Williams. John was a young man when he came to Williamsburg and married Jennet Drucilla when he was only 25 years old. They had two sons and were expecting the third son when John died. He died at age 29, "....at the residence of Thomas Scott near Muddy Creek." From Southern Christian Advocate, Vol. I, 1837-1860. He is buried in the churchyard at Cedar Swamp Methodist Church in Williamsburg District, where he was active in building the Church and was a class leader.

Jennet Drucilla and her three small sons (the middle son, Charles Craig, was my grandfather) went to live with her mother, Mary McGill Burgess, on the plantation at White Oak. They lived there for the duration of the War Between the States. According to Dr. Samuel Davis McGill (the brother of Mary McGill Burgess) in his book, Narrative of Reminiscences in Williamsburg County, p. 214, he states, "All during the war I had a double duty on my hands in caring for my widowed sister, Mrs. Mary Burgess, and her widowed daughter, Mrs. Drucilla Williams, and her three orphan boys on White Oak, ten miles away." At the close of the war, according to a letter written in 1930 to my father from his uncle, Dr. John Chapman Williams, the youngest of the three little boys, "....all property was lost....We came to Arkansas in 1866 and settled near Marlbrook Church in Hempstead County and cleared up the land and made crops till we went to college and entered the ministry." Both Charles Craig and John Chapman became Presbyterian ministers.

According to family information, the group that migrated in 1857 with Minto McGill, and also the ones that went in 1866, went by train from South Carolina to the Mississippi River, crossed by ferry, then traveled by wagon train from the Great River to Hempstead County (approximately 150-200 miles, depending on where they crossed). There was a large group in 1857 with Minto McGill, but in 1866 I do not know who traveled with Mary, Jennet Drucilla and the boys. There were many hardships encountered by both groups, but they settled the land, homesteaded, built homes, made crops, cut roads, and lived the pioneer life.

About twelve years ago, after wondering for many years about my Williams' ancestors, we went to Arkansas. With an old letter from Uncle John, dated 1930, (this was the youngest son of Jennet Drucilla) and the small "Memorial Record" booklet from my grandfather's funeral, we arrived in Hope. The name of the cemetery was no longer Cave Hill, but Rose Hill, so we had trouble finding it. The first thing to do, when no one knew anything about Cave Hill Cemetery, was to go to the First Presbyterian Church in Hope. That is the only Presbyterian Church there and the church where my grandfather, Rev. Charles Craig Williams, was minister for eighteen years before his death in 1913. The kind minister called an elderly lady who had gone to my grandfather's funeral who told us just where he was buried! The next morning we found my grandparents' graves which I was seeing for the first time. (My parents had not even married when my

grandfather died and I was only five when my grandmother died.) The inscription on the tall marker read "Rev. Charles Craig Williams, April 12, 1856, Aug. 18, 1913--KEPT". My grandmother's simply read "Flora beloved wife of Rev. C. C., Williams".

We then went north from Hope just a few miles to Prescott where Uncle John is buried, then down the small country road about ten miles further west into Hempstead County. The Marlbrook Presbyterian Church has long since burned, only three concrete steps remaining, but in the small well-kept cemetery are the graves of Jennet Drucilla Burgess Williams; the upright marker reads "Mrs. J. D. Williams, March 16, 1835, Dec. 23, 1917. A true Mother, a faithful Christian". Next to her lies Mary McCottry McGill Burgess; her upright marker reads "Mary McCotry Burgess, born Oct. 7, 1814, died July 17, 1898". On the far side of Mary Burgess lies Elizabeth Amelia Burgess Bell and her husband, William Elisha Bell, and a number of graves on the same row from there to the road, I discovered later, are graves of her son, Minto Bell, his wife and others of that family.

Elizabeth Amelia Burgess came to Arkansas nine years before her mother and sister and by the time they came, Elizabeth Amelia was already married and had children. She and her husband had homesteaded land and when Jennet and Mary came, they too, homesteaded - on land next to Elizabeth Amelia and Elisha Bell. In time, after Jennet's three boys were grown and after Mary died, the land was sold to other family members. At the time of Jennet Drucilla's death, she lived in the home of her youngest son, Dr. John Chapman Williams, one of her two Presbyterian minister sons. She is buried at Marlbrook Cemetery, which is land that she and Mary gave for a Presbyterian Church and Cemetery.

While we were in the Marlbrook Cemetery, we met an elderly man, age 89 he said, and when we told him who we were, he pointed to a hugh oak tree about 300 yards west of the cemetery and said, "Under that tree was Aunt Drucilla's house." When I asked if he was related, he said, no, his mother was a good friend and neighbor. He gave my name and address to the granddaughter of Elizabeth Amelia, and from her, I later received additional information. She sent me xerox copies of a burned Bible, barely readable, burned in a house fire in 1929, that had belonged to her grandmother, Elizabeth Amelia. However, the descendants of Elizabeth Amelia knew nothing regarding their ancestry, nor any of the South Carolina information!

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SCOTT FAMILY

Many of the Scotch-Irish, as they had then begun to be called, chose to leave the foundations which they had laid in Ireland, and migrate to America. Many of them, about 1720, came to the New England states, Pennsylvania and South Carolina, but most of the original settlers in Williamsburg District chose to remain in Ireland until about 1735, when they came direct to Williamsburg Township. A few of them had come to this section between 1725 and 1732 and had settled on Black River.

JOHN SCOTT settled at the King's Tree on Black River November 1, 1732. From that day until 1923 (when Boddie's History of Williamsburg was written) there

has lived a John Scott at the King's Tree in Williamsburg. The original settler was born in Galloway, Scotland, in 1665, migrated to County Down, Ireland, in 1690, and died in Williamsburg in 1749.

This line of Scotts is one of the most illustrious and ancient in Scottish history. The banner of the Scotts has shone in far flung battle lines, including that of Flodden. The coat of arms is thus described in Burke: Gold on a bend a mullet of six points two crescents gold; Crest, a stag proper horned and hoofed gold.

The clan and sept of Scott is of Lowland origin and among the oldest in Scotland. Their recorded history begins in 1130 when a Uchtredus, "filius (son) of Scoti" is mentioned. His son, Richard, had two sons: Richard, who was the ancestor of the Scotts of Buccleuch, and Michael, the progenitor of the Scotts of Balweary.

We next find Sir Richard le Scot of Rankilburn and Murthockston, who was a close friend and companion of King Alexander III of Scotland. He was of the Buccleuch line and owned great estates in the Highlands and Lowlands. In 1296 he swore allegiance to King Edward I of England. His grandson, Sir Walter, was created first Baron Kirkurd by the Scottish King Robert II, 7 December 1389.

Another Sir Walter, Baron Buccleuch, was knighted at Flodden, 9 September 1513, and made Warden of the Middle Marches, the border between England and Scotland. His great grandson, also Sir Walter, was created Warden of the West Marches in 1590. He received his knighthood from King James II of Scotland and was elevated to the Peerage as First Lord Scott of Buccleuch, 8 March 1606. He was a great military commander and served in Scotland, England and the Netherlands.

The Scotts have intermarried with British Royalty several times. More than forty castles in Scotland were owned by branches of the family, the principal seat being Brauxholem.

Through the royal Stewart and royal Bruce lines, the Scotts are descended from every Scottish king back to the first one, Kenneth Mac Alpine (844-959). They are also descended from the Danish and Saxon lines of kings.

When Roger Gordon's party, including JOHN SCOTT, came to Williamsburg in 1732, that portion of the Province was "back country", which including everything west of the Atlantic Ocean, was almost unknown. It took an unusual amount of courage and fortitude for a band of forty Scots to penetrate the swamps and pine forests and make their way up the dark waters of the Black River to the King's Tree, the present site of Kingstree, S. C.

This company included ten heads of families who had recently landed at Georgetown. There may have been many sons, but the assumption is that most of the number were women and children. They settled in and about "The King's Tree" and remained there in spite of hostile Indians and many other hazards. Among the pioneers were Robert Ervin, David Wilson, William James and John Scott. A few years later another group came including John Witherspoon.

JOHN SCOTT
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JOHN 1, born about 1687 in Galloway, Scotland; moved to County Antrim, Ireland, then County Down, came to American in 1732 when he was about forty-five years of age; married Margaret Dick, daughter of John Dick, marriage date unknown, but married before coming to America inasmuch as their son, William, was 14 in 1732; died 1749, Williamsburg District, S.C.

Issue - I can not find an exact list of children

1. WILLIAM, b. ca. 1718, Cownty Down, Ireland; thought to have married Mary Ervin; d. after 1778.
2. John
3. Thomas

WILLIAM SCOTT
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WILLIAM 2, John 1. William, born about 1718, County Down, Ireland; thought to have married Mary Ervin; died after 1778. William was a Captain in the French and Indian War. When the king called for volunteers in 1759, two companies from Williamsburg immediately responded. The first was commanded by Captain William Scott who was also a colonel in the militia.

Issue - I can not find an exact list of children.

1. JOSEPH, b. 18 Aug. 1747; m. Janet McCrea, daughter of Alexander and Margaret (McCalla) McCrea (SEE McCREA FAMILY); d. 5 July 1805.

JOSEPH SCOTT
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JOSEPH 3, William 2, John 1. Joseph Scott was born 18 August 1747, son of Capt. William Scott and Mary (Ervin). On 19 Feb. 1771 Joseph married Janet McCrea, daughter of Alexander and Margaret (McCalla) McCrea. Lt. Joseph Scott was in the brigade of General Francis Marion, the Swamp Fox, at the outbreak of the Revolution.

In August 1780, Marion's Brigade was the only body of American troops in South Carolina, as the Continental forces had all been dispersed or captured and Sumter's Legion had been destroyed by Tarleton. On 14th Sept., General Marion attacked the British stronghold on Black Mingo Creek at Patrick Dollard's Tavern, known as the Red House, just south of Shepherd's Ferry. A bitter and bloody battle ensued in which the British lost seventy-four men killed and Marion seventy-one. More than half of each force was wounded. This battle is considered by many military strategists the turning point of the Revolution in the South.

Lieutenant Scott's company was the leader of the attack and suffered the greatest casualties. He was wounded by a ball which shattered his hip and, although he lived for twenty-five years afterward, he was badly crippled. The ball was removed from his hip after his death and is still in the possession of descendants.

In the 1790 Census he is listed as having sixty slaves. In 1791 he was a County Commissioner. Lt. Joseph Scott died 5 July 1805.

Issue 6 children:

1. Margaret, b. 7 March 1772
2. JANET, b. 2 Nov. 1774; d. 18 July 1856; m. William Burgess, 27 Aug. 1795 (SEE BURGESS FAMILY).
3. Elizabeth, b. 17 Oct. 1776; d. 22 Jan. 1818
4. Mary, b. 18 June 1779
5. Dead son, b. 4 Oct. 1782
6. John, b. 7 March 1784; d. 26 Aug. 1822

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McCREA FAMILY

ALEXANDER McCREA was one of the original settlers of Williamsburg, being on the list having settled "up to 1737 in Williamsburg Township". The McCreas were of Scotch-Irish descent, and Alexander was born in the Shetland Islands. The McCrea family had gone to Ireland from Scotland; then to the Shetland Islands; then back to the north of Ireland to County Down, where they lived about thirty years, then to Williamsburg in 1736. Alexander married Margaret McCalla (SEE McCALLA FAMILY) and died in Williamsburg 27 Dec. 1791.

Issue 5 children:

1. Mary, b. 10 Oct. 1739
2. Alexander, b. 17 Aug. 1743
3. JANNET, b. 5 Aug. 1747; d. 7 Dec. 1815; m. 19 Feb. 1771, Lt. Joseph Scott (SEE SCOTT FAMILY).
4. Margaret, b. 10 March 1752
5. Margaret, b. 14 Nov. 1754

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McCALLA FAMILY

WILLIAM McCALLA's Will was dated 27 May 1758, recorded in original Will Book 1757-1760, page 125,Craven County (Charleston Wills), present book, p. 212-214. "....My daughter Janet the one third of all my Estate both real and personal....(my wife's legacy left to her by her mother only excepted). I give and bequeth to the Trustees of Black Mingo Meeting House one Hundred Pounds and to their successors forever which I allow to be put to Interest and Interest paid yearly towards to maintaining of minister in the same. I give and bequeath to Margaret McCrea wife to Alexander McCrea and Sarah Montgomery wife to Henry Montgomery and to Jean James wife to John James all wifes legacy left to her by her mother that is now in John and Joseph McCreas hands to be equally divided amongst the said Margaret, Sarah and Jean or their heirs forever. I give and bequeath to my Brother Nenean McCalla all the remainder of my estate....appoint William Thomson Senior of Black Mingo, Alexander McCrea and John James, both of Williamsbourgh as sole executors of this my last Will and Testament...."

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CHAPTER IV

McGILL, GORDON, WESTBERRY, COLLINS, TAMPLET, SANDERS and JAMES FAMILIES

McGILL FAMILY

HUGH McGILL
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HUGH 1. Hugh McGill was born in 1702, place unknown. According to his Bible records, reprinted in Dr. Samuel Davis McGill's Narrative of Reminiscences in Williamsburg County "Hugh McGill was married to Sarah Gordon, 10th June 1732 and departed this life 30 June 1753 in the 50th year of his age, and was married 23 years to Sarah Gordon, his wife." Hugh McGill was issued a Land Grant in 1737 at White Oak and various members of his family have lived in that area since. After Hugh died in 1755 Sarah married a second time to James Dickey. She died 24 Dec. 1759, age 49.

The Will of Hugh McGill was dated 25 June 1752, proved 9 Nov. 1753 and recorded 12 Nov. 1753. He mentions his wife, Sarah, sons John, Roger and Samuel, under age, daughters, Mary, Jean and Sarah. Executors, wife, Sarah, Robert Williams and Moses Gordon. Witnessed Samuel Bradley and James Dickey.

Issue 7 children:

1. John, b. 1 April 1734
2. Mary, b. 20 Jan. 1738
3. Jean, b. 12 Sept. 1740
4. ROGER, b. 28 Aug. 1742; d. 24 July 1787; m. 1767 Elizabeth Westberry (SEE WESTBERRY FAMILY).
5. James, b. 28 Oct. 1744
6. Samuel, b. 12 Sept. 1747; d. 1781; m. Hannah Plowden.
7. Sarah, b. 15 Aug. 1750

ROGER McGILL
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ROGER 2, Hugh 1. Roger, son of Hugh and Sarah McGill, was born 28 Aug. 1742 in Williamsburg District, S.C. and died in 1787 in Williamsburg. From Roger's Bible, as reprinted in Dr. McGill's book, "Roger McGill, the son of Hugh McGill and Elizabeth Westbury, was married 23rd February 1767." She was the daughter of Jonathan and Mary (Tamplet) Westberry. Roger fought in the Revolutionary War from South Carolina, as listed in the D.A.R. Patriot Index.

Elizabeth McGill died in childbirth of two sons, who died at the same time. They are buried at the Indiantown Presbyterian Church Cemetery. The inscription on her marker reads "Sacred to the Memory of Elizabeth McGill, Wife of Roger McGill, who died July 24, 1787 in the 41st Year of her Age. She was a loving

wife, a good and indulgent Mother, and a Sincere Christian." Roger also died in 1787.

When we were in the Indiantown/Hemingway area of Williamsburg County in 1988, another of the McGill Descendants took us to see the home of Roger McGill. It is a lovely old home, recently remodeled, not in the original location where our ancestor built it, but was moved a short distance from its original location.

Issue 9 children:

1. Hugh, b. 30 Dec. 1767; m. Jennett Thompson
2. Jean, b. 8th Sept. 1769; d. 1821; m. John Wilson
3. Martha, b. 8 Aug. 1771; d. 1825; m. William Wilson
4. Mary (1st of the name), b. 28 May 1773, died young.
5. Elizabeth, b. 14 Jan. 1775; d. young
6. Burr, b. 23 Feb. 1777; d. young
7. John, b. 2 Jan. 1779; m. Margaret Selina McClary
8. SAMUEL, b. 25 Feb. 1781; d. 10 Nov. 1840; m. Mary Ann Sanders who was born 12 Dec. 1785 and d. 7th May 1860 (SEE SANDERS FAMILY).
9. Mary (2nd of the name), b. 7 Jan. 1783; d. 1819; m. Samuel Bradley.

SAMUEL McGILL

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SAMUEL 3, Roger 2, Hugh 1. Samuel, b. 25 Feb. 1781, the son of Roger and Elizabeth (Westberry) McGill. In 1806 he married Mary Ann Sanders, daughter of John and Jeanie (James) Sanders (SEE SANDERS FAMILY). Mary Ann's mother died at Mary Ann's birth. Samuel and Mary Ann are both buried in the Indiantown Presbyterian Church Cemetery. Samuel's stone reads, "Here sleeps the body of Samuel McGill, who was born Feby. 25th 1781 and died Nov. 10th 1840, having been for many years a member of Indiantown Church. He discharged with great kindness the various duties of Husband, Father and Neighbor." Mary Ann's stone reads, "Here sleeps the body of Mary Ann McGill, Relict of Samuel McGill. She was born Dec. 12th 1785 and died May 7th 1850 having been for many years a member of Indiantown Church. She discharged with great tenderness the various duties of Wife, Mother and Neighbor."

From Williamsburg County Probate Records 1860-ca. 1900 by Elaine Y. Eaddy, p. 117, "McGILL, Mary A. Will....To my son Minto W. McGill all my real estate upon condition that he pay unto my exors. at the time of the division of my property the sum of $400....My four daughters Elizabeth N. Scott, Jane Carolina Scott, MARY McCOTTRY BURGESS and Mary Ann Sanders Murphy to have my four pieces of mahogany furniture....My granddaughter Mary Ann Scott to have one feather bed. Exors. my son-in-law John T. Scott and son Samuel Davis McGill. 6 Sept. 1849. Wit.: John Wilson, William M. Wilson, Laurens E. Wilson, Proved 17 Oct. 1850."

"McGILL, Mary Ann, administratrix, et al vs. John T. Scott and wife; William R. Scott and wife and Sam'l McGill. Bill for Partition, Commissioners are directed to divide and make partition of the personal estate of the late Samuel McGill, deceased, as follows: 1/3 to Mary Ann McGill; 1/7 to Sidney Spencer McGill; 1/7 to Minto McGill; 1/7 to Mary A. Sanders McGill; 1/7 to William R. Scott and wife; 1/7 to JAMES G. BURGESS and WIFE; 1/7 to Samuel D. McGill. Feb. 1843."

Issue 17 children:

1. Elizabeth Amelia, b. 1807; d. 1894; m. 1826 John Thomas Scott

2. Clarence, b. 1808
3. Jeannett Louisa, b. 1809; d. 1827; m. 1826 Samuel John Snowd
4. Ervin, b. 1812; d. 1817
5. Samuel Gadsden, b. 1812; d. 1817
6. Drucilla, b. 1813; d. 1823
7. Elizabeth, b. 1814
8. MARY McCOTTRY, b. 7 Oct. 1814; d, 17 July 1898, Hempstead County, Ark., buried Marlbrook Cemetery; m. JAMES G. BURGESS, April 26, 1834 (SEE BURGESS FAMILY).
9. Jane Caroline, b. 1816; m. 1834 William R. Scott, moved to Ark. in 1857.
10. John Sanders, b. 1818
11. Samuel Davis, b. 1819; d. 1896, buried Indiantown Presbyterian Church Cemetery; m. 1844 Sarah Elizabeth Pressley.
12. William Wilson, b. 1821; d. 1831
13. Mary Ann Sanders; b. 1822; m. 1843 Andrew J. Murphy
14. Sidney Spencer, b. 1824; d. 1848; m. Ellen Duke
15. Amanda, b. 1826; d. 1826
16. Martha Emaline, b. 1827
17. Minto Witherspoon, b. 1828; d. in Arkansas; m. Sarah Elizabeth McIntosh. (SEE BURGESS FAMILY for migration to Arkansas.)

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GORDON FAMILY

ROGER GORDON was the Leader of the group of the original settlers of Williamsburg Township in 1732. His original land grant was June 26, 1736. His wife's name was Mary, surname not known.

From Mr. Boddie's History of Williamsburg: In 1732, a colony of forty Scotch-Irish under the leadership of Roger Gordon settled about the King's Tree on Black River on lands now within the immediate vicinity of Kingstree. Making up this colony of forty, were the families of the following men: Roger Gordon, Edward Plowden, Robert Ervin, James Armstrong, David Johnson, Adam McDonald, William James, Archibald Hamilton, David Wilson and John Scott. This colony came up Black River and, disembarking from their vessel at Brown's Ferry, blazed their way through the forests along what is now the Kingstree-Georgetown road to the King's Tree. These were the first settlers of Williamsburg Township.

From Abstracts of the Wills of the State of South Carolina 1740-1760, compiled by Caroline T. Moore, p. 136, we find, "ROGER GORDON, Williamsburg Township, wife, Mary, land where I now live, then to daughters Margaret and Jean. Sons: James, John and Moses, Daus.: eldest Elizabeth, Sarah and Margaret, under age: Jean: youngest Mary. Granddau. Mary____, Grandson: Roger Wilson. Mentions: legacies for Jean, Sarah and Margaret in care of Hugh McGill; to daus. Elizabeth and Sarah land in Boggy Swamp; Roger McGill, Exors: wife: Hugh McGill; Robert Wilson. Wit. David Witherspoon, Robert Ellison. D. 19 Nov. 1750, P: 15 Mar. 1751; R. p. 439 (Part of Will in original book destroyed.)"

From History of Williamsburg, p. 85, by William Willis Boddie, we find the Will of Mary Gordon. "Mary Gordon's Will was proved the 23rd day of May 1766. She mentions her six children: Moses, Elizabeth, Sarah, Margaret, Jean and Mary.

She left a legacy to Mary Wilson and also one to John Gordon, if he comes to this province. She makes her son Moses, Samuel Bradley and William Frierson, Jr. her executors. This will was witnessed by James Dickey and Robert Wilson."

Issue 8 children:

1. Mary, b. 7 Apr. 1710; d. before 1732; m. Robert Wilson
2. James, d. 1761; did not come to America
3. John, did not come to American with parents
4. Moses, came to America by 1761
5. Elizabeth; m. Samuel Bradley
6. SARAH, b. ca. 1710; d. 24 Dec. 1759; m. (1) HUGH McGILL (SEE McGILL FAMILY) 10 June 1732; m. (2) James Dickey.
7. Margaret, m. Robert Wilson (2nd or 3rd wife)
8. Jean

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WESTBERRY, COLLINS and TAMPLET FAMILIES

ELIZABETH WESTBERRY, who married Roger McGill, was the daughter of Jonathan Westberry and his wife, Mary Tamplet, who were married 2 Dec. 1746. Jonathan, father of Elizabeth, was the son of John Westberry and his wife, MARY COLLINS. John Westberry (Westbery, Westbury) was the son of Jonathan and Sarah Westbery.

MARY TAMPLET, mother of Elizabeth Westberry, was the daughter of Peter Tamplet and his wife, Elizabeth. Peter Tamplet's Will is listed in Caroline T. Moore's Abstracts of the Wills of South Carolina 1740-1760, p. 19 (From Will Book 1740-1747). This shows that Peter died 6 Nov. 1742, will proved 9 Apr. 1743, recorded 16 Oct. 1743, p. 123. He was of Prince Frederick's Parish, and he mentions his wife, Elizabeth, six sons, Peter, Stephen, John, James, Joseph and Elisha; daughter, MARY WESTBURY.

JOHN COLLINS, grandfather of Mary Collins (above) died 13 Aug. 1707. His Will is in Vol. I of Caroline T. Moore's Abstracts of the Wills of the State of South Carolina 1670-1740, p. 25. Will probated 9 Feb. 1708/9, recorded 1851, p. 82, mentions his wife, Elizabeth, sons Jonah, John, Alexander; daughters, Elizabeth, Jane, Executors, wife, and son, Jonah.

JONAH COLLINS' Will is on p.91, of Vol. 1740-1760, and shows that Jonah died 21 Apr. 1740, will proved 12 May 1749, recorded, p. 127. Mentions wife, Sarah, my home plantation in St. James' Parish, Craven County; daughters Elizabeth, infants Mary and Sarah Collins, Jonah, infant.

The will of Joshua Westberry, St. Bartholomew's Parish, died 20 Dec. 1755, mentions brothers,William and John; sisters, ELIZABETH WESTBERRY, Sarah Mackey, Mary Westbery, Martha OR Mary, Executor - Cousin, William Sanders. Witness, Jonathan Westbery.

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SANDERS FAMILY

JOHN SANDERS (father of Mary Ann McGill) came from another Parish of South

Carolina and it has been most difficult to find any definite proof of who his family was and where they came from. John Sanders was married to Jeanie (Jannet) James, daughter of John James.

I have found several Wills from Caroline Moore's Abstracts of Wills of South Carolina 1740-1760 that could be the father of our John Sanders, plus the above will of Joshua Westberry (brother of Jonathan) where a cousin, William Sanders, was the executor. Could this have been our John Sanders' family?

The will of a John Sanders of Berkeley County, S.C., Planter, died 4 June 1743, proved 6 Oct. 1743, recorded 6 Oct. 1743, p. 116, Will Book, 1740-1747. (P.17, of Ms. Moore's Abstracts). Mentions wife, Mary; sons, William, Thomas, John; daughters, Sarah, Mary, Ann, Patience, Hannah; father-in-law, John St. Martin.

The will of Robert Sanders, St. John's Parish, Berkeley County, Only child, John, Will Book 1740-1747, died 12 Apr. 1745, Proved 18 July 1745, recorded 19 July 1745, p.245.

Will of William S. Sanders, d. 24 Apr. 1741, Proved 4 June 1741, recorded 28 Sept. 1741, p.45; mentions Brother John and James, Nephew, John, William, sons of brother, John.

Our JOHN SANDERS, father of Mary Ann McGill, after Mary Ann's mother died at her birth, placed Mary Ann "under the care and protection of her relatives". From Dr. McGill's book Reminiscences of Williamsburg County. In time, he settled at St. Simons Island, Ga., married again, and had a son, Philip. A few years after the marriage of Mary Ann and Samuel McGill, both John Sanders and his wife died and shortly afterward Philip also died at Brunswick, Ga. Mary Ann inherited the entire estate.

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JAMES FAMILY

JOHN WILLIAM JAMES was born in 1657, lived in Wales, was Captain of Dragoons, under William of Orange, against James II. He was married to Anne Wyndham, daughter of Sir Thomas Wyndham.

Issue:

1. Unknown, b. 1678
2. JOHN, b. 1688; came to America 1732, known as John James of Ox (Broad) Swamp; m. Jean McCalla (SEE McCALLA FAMILY).
3. Elizabeth, d. 1 Dec. 1782; m. James Ervin
4. William, b. Wales ca. 1701; d. 5 Nov. 1750; m. in Ireland, Elizabeth Witherspoon.

JOHN JAMES
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JOHN JAMES came to America in 1732 and was known as John James of Ox Swamp (Broad Swamp). The date that I have found for his birth is 1688, but there appears to be some discrepancy in either his birth date, or we have completely

missed a generation. Every person I have talked to or corresponded with in Williamsburg County, S.C. says that 1688 is correct (to the best of their knowledge), some have admitted that we must be missing a generation!

There was a question as to whether his wife was Jeannett Fleming (which I do not think is correct), who was the daughter of John Fleming and Jannet Witherspoon. If this were the case, our lines would go back thru John Knox and his second wife, Lady Margaret Stewart, back to Robert Bruce, King of Scotland. BUT I can not prove this! John Fleming's Will lists a daughter, Jannett James.

It was thought that perhaps John James, born in 1688, and his wife (?) had a son named John who married Jean McCalla. But inasmuch as we can find no proof we will assume that Jean McCalla was the wife of John James, born 1688, who was known as John James of Ox Swamp. (SEE McCALLA FAMILY)

Issue John and Jean (McCalla) James:

1. John, known as John of the Lake
2. Jane, m. Gavin Witherspoon,b.1744
3. James
4. Mary
5. Robert
6. Gavin, unmarried; d. 1819
7. William
8. JEAN, d. 12 Dec. 1785 when Mary Ann was born; m. JOHN SANDERS (SEE McGILL FAMILY)
9. Elizabeth, m. Hugh Ervin; d. 1786

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CHAPTER V

McNUTT (MacNAUGHT) FAMILY

The MacNaughts were of the same stock as the MacNaughtens, of that ilk in Argyleshire, said by Nesbit, to derive origin from one Nauchton, an eminent man in the reign of Malcom IV, AD 1153-1165, to whom he was very useful in subduing the McDougalls of Lorn.

The MacNaughtens were Thanes of Locktay and chiefs of a powerful fighting clan. Later, they were strong adherents of the Stuarts, and one of the last conspicuous men of the house was Alexander MacNaughten, a brave and chivalrous gentleman, who loyally ruined himself for Charles I, and after his sovereign's overthrow, went into exile. Later Charles II gave him a life pension and he died in London a few years after his return to England.

The earliest mention of the MacNaughts as proprietors of the estates of Kilquhanitie in Galloway, is in 1448 when Fegus MacNaught, of Kilquhanitie, and John MacNaught of Craigow, were on an assize. From Genealogies and Reminiscences, compiled by Henrietta Hamilton McCormick.

Records show a Gilberd MacNaught, of the County of Dumfries, swore fidelity to Edward I in 1296; James graduated at the University of Edinburgh in 1593; Roger, of Kilquhanitie sat in Parliament for Edinburgh from 1593-98. There is also a "Fergussius MacNaught de Culconnady" in the preamble of the Marches of the Lands of Ardes, dated July 11, 1488.

John MacNaught married Margaret Gordon, daughter of John Gordon of Airds, granddaughter of John Sinclair of Earlstown. The younger son of this John MacNaught, also named John, was killed in 1612. Records show Roger MacNaught, Master of Kilquhanitie, who died about 1640, leaving no male heir. In 1641 John MacNaught, of Edinburgh, had title to the land. Records show several transactions with the Gordon family, and in 1669 John MacNaught and his wife, Florence Gordon, had sasine of lands in Holme.

As far as is known, the above John and Florence had a son named John. He married twice; the first wife was Jean Glencourse, and there was apparently only one child, a daughter, Elizabeth. After the death of his first wife, he married a second time, and the name of the second wife is unknown, but she was the mother of his four sons.

Records show that the estate and lands of Kilquhanitie, at this point, were absorbed by debts and John MacNaught left Scotland with the intention of imigrating to America, and crossed to the north of Ireland. The last mention of the lands of Kilquhanitie was in 1696. This John MacNaught was the last of his name in Scotland, as far as is known. He crossed to Londonderry, Ireland with his four sons, Alexander, William, John and Samuel. It is at this point that the name MacNUTT is first found. There was no legal name change, as far as is known, so the change was simply in spelling and the name itself is pronounced the same as always.

ALEXANDER McNUTT
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ALEXANDER 1. Alexander McNutt (the "a" in McNutt has now been dropped) was the son of John MacNaught (MacNutt). Alexander married in Ireland and his wife's Christian name was Jane, but no record has been found of her maiden name. Alexander imigrated to America before any other member of his family, and in a few years his family followed him. He first settled in Maryland, near the present city of Hagerstown. About 1743 he moved to Orange County, Virginia. Our Alexander died in Orange County, Virginia, year not found.

Issue 7 children:

1. Alexander. In 1756 he took part in the expedition against the Shawnee Indians. He became a Colonel, took part in the expulsion of the French settlers from Acadia and was awarded large grants of land in the Province of Nova Scotia. He went to England and was knighted by George II in recognition of his services and gallantry. The sword which was presented to him by the king is still preserved, though despoiled of its silver mounting, chains and ornamented scabbard during the War Between the States by soldiers of General Hunter's command when their raid on the Valley of Virginia was made. He was born about 1720-1725 in Ireland and died in 1811.
2. William
3. John
4. Robert, inherited about one-half of the original McNutt grant in Va., but sold his estate in 1790 and moved to Kentucky.
5. JAMES, b. 1738; d. 6 Sept. 1811; m. Margaret McElroy 1768.
6. A son, said to have been killed in an Indian skirmish when a mere boy.
7. A daughter, said to have married a Mr. Wier of Nova Scotia.

JAMES McNUTT
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JAMES 2, Alexander 1. James, son of Alexander and Jane McNutt, was born in 1738, died September 6, 1811 in Augusta County, Virginia. James married Margaret McElroy in 1768; both are buried in the old cemetery, across the road from the present Old Providence Presbyterian Church, Augusta County, Virginia. The old church building, still standing, is on the same side of the road as the old cemetery. We found the graves of James and his wife, Margaret McElroy, when we were there in 1985, in the beautiful Virginia countryside. Their tombstones are still standing, in bad shape, but are readable. Margaret McElroy was born in 1744 and died 22 Sept. 1820.

In the year 1753, both James and his brother, Alexander, were granted land in the original Borden Land Grant (SEE McDOWELL FAMILY for more information concerning the Borden Grant.) James was granted 185 acres and Alexander 301 acres, so stated in A History of Rockbridge County, Virginia by Oren F. Morton. Rockbridge County was made up of a portion of Augusta County.

James McNutt fought in the Revolutionary War, serving in the 12th Virginia Regiment under Captain Mathew Arbuckle and fought at Point Pleasant. Ensign James McNutt is found in several places as having been one of Arbuckle's subalterns. I have secured a copy of his Revolutionary War service record.

Issue 6 children:

1. Alexander, b. 1771; d. 1837; m. ____Trotter
2. JAMES, b. 24 Jan. 1773; d. 10 Aug. 1851; m. Mary Anderson Smith Morton, 1811 (SEE MORTON FAMILY)
3. Margaret, b. 1776; d. 1805
4. Jane, b. 1778; d. 1856; unmarried
5. Samuel Hamilton, b. 1789; d. 1859
6. Robert, b. 1797; d. 1870, unmarried

JAMES MacNUTT
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JAMES 3, James 2, Alexander 1. James, son of James and Margaret McElroy McNutt, was known as Squire MacNutt, and used the spelling MacNutt not McNutt. He was born 24 Jan. 1773; d. 10 Aug. 1851; married Mary Anderson Smith Morton, the first part of June 1811, inasmuch as the Marriage Bond is dated 31st day of May 1811, signed by James MacNutt and James Morton, father of Mary. I secured a copy of this Marriage Bond several years ago and the original is on file at the Prince Edward Court House in Farmville, Virginia. Mary was born in Prince Edward County on 15 March 1790 and died 8 January 1874. Mary and James are buried in the churchyard at the New Providence Presbyterian Church in Rockbridge County, Virginia, that part formerly being Augusta County. (SEE MORTON FAMILY). We visited their graves several years ago and their tombstones are upright and in good condition.

Waddell tells us in Annals of Augusta County that "By the year 1815 many of the elements of wealth in the county had increased very considerably, compared with 1800. A rather interesting statistic of that time tells us that there were five four-wheeled riding carriages in the first revenue district of the county, and the aristocratic owners of these vehicles were William Black, Sr., Rev. William Calhoun, Mrs. Nancy Kinney, JAMES MacNUTT, and Edward Valentine."

Issue 11 children:

1. Mary Smith, b. 20 March 1812; d. 1878; m. Rev. Henry Brown
2. JAMES MORTON, b.6 Dec. 1813; d. 3 May 1876; m. Mary Carrington Venable, 22 Sept, 1842 (SEE VENABLE FAMILY).
3. Margaret McElroy, b. 2 Feb. 1815; d. 1882; m. Andrew Withrow
4. Samuel Alexander, b. 6 May 1817; d. 1839 unmarried
5. John Rice, b. 22 Feb. 1819; d. Jan. 1890; m. (1) Frances Brown Morrison; m. (2) Sarah Mildred McCorkle
6. William Morton, b. 28 Jan. 1822; d.6 June 1886; m.Louisa Venable
7. Robert, b. 8 Dec. 1823; m. Virginia Gully; his home was on a portion of the original McNutt grant.
8. Josiah Smith, b. 9 Oct. 1829; never married, migrated to Texas where he was a Judge of the Court at Edna, Jackson County, Texas.
9. Benjamin F., b. 28 Feb. 1827; m. Ellen Steel; he, too, resided on a portion of the original grant.
10. Eliza Jane, b. 13 Oct. 1830; m. (1) Robert McBride; m. (2) Dr. Barton of Lexington, Va.
11. Anne Rice, b. 28 June 1836; d. 1879; m. William Steele

JAMES MORTON McNUTT
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JAMES 4, James 3, James 2, Alexander 1. James, son of James and Mary Anderson Smith Morton McNutt, was born in Augusta County (Rockbridge County), Virginia on 6 December 1813 and died 3 May 1876 and is buried in the College Church Cemetery on the campus of Hampton-Sydney College. He married Mary Carrington Venable (SEE VENABLE FAMILY) on 22 Sept. 1842. She was the daughter of Samuel Woodson Venable, Jr. and his wife, Jane Stuart Reid, daughter of Andrew Reid, the first clerk of Rockbridge County, and his wife, Magdalene McDowell.

When James was a young man he moved from Rockbridge to Prince Edward County and purchased the plantation "Dover". James and Mary lived on their plantation until the War Between the States, at which time James joined the First Virginia Cavalry, Company C. At this time James was about 50 years old. From his Confederate States Service Record, of which I secured a copy, it states that he was "sent to hospital" on Sept. 1, 1863; on 9 May 1864 it states that he received a shell wound; again wounded Aug. 16, 1864; in hospital; April 5, 1865, transferred "to Lexington". His records further state "disease continues, probably result of same" (wounds).

It took me some time to discover why he was sent to Lexington! Lexington is in Rockbridge County, his home county, and in the History of Rockbridge County his name is listed, p. 414, under Rockbridge 1st Dragoons, Company "C" 1st Va. Cavalry, as having enlisted from Rockbridge County. This is the ancestor that I chose to use to join the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

It is not known, but is believed, that his wife and children must have lived with the Rockbridge County McNutts during the latter part of the war. There was not as much fighting there as at "Dover" in Prince Edward County, about 50 miles from Appomattox.

There has been a story in the family that my great grandmother, Mary Carrington Venable McNutt, and a young slave girl, buried the family silver in the ground somewhere behind "Dover" at some point during the war. Also, the story says that at the close of the war, apparently after they returned to Dover, the silver was dug up safely. Both my sister and I own seven silver spoons, each with the name "McNutt" engraved on the handle. These were my grandmother's share of the buried silver.

At the close of the war the McNutts did return to Dover, but it is not known just how they lost the plantation, but the large plantation was indeed lost! Several years ago, after many years of searching for Dover we were fortunate to find the name of the present owner while in Farmville. He kindly spent a half day with us, taking us to Dover which is just a few miles outside of Farmville. The once lovely old home is now in ruins, but it can still be seen what a beautiful old place it once was. As I stood on the porch and looked out over the large, rolling front, my imagination was working, and I could almost visualize my grandmother, along with her brother and sisters, playing there.

I am very fortunate to own a lovely "tea table", made of solid mahogany, which has been handed down through each generation. It is called, in our family, "The McNutt Table" and the story goes that the entire dining room suite was made for the McNutts in England and was shipped over on a sailing vessel. It is not

known which McNutt had it made, either James Morton McNutt, or his father, Squire James MacNutt. This tea table was inherited by my grandmother, passed to my father, then to me, and has been used in our home as the dining table for 40 years. This does make one wonder just how large their dining table was!

When Dover was lost, James and Mary moved to Hampden-Sydney, Virginia where they must have had a large home, perhaps at the edge of the campus of Hampden-Sydney College. At that time Union Theological Presbyterian Seminary was at Hampden-Sydney (Union is now at Richmond). The Scottish McNutts were staunch Presbyterians, as were the last two generations of Venables (Mary's family) and their ancestors, the Venables, Carringtons and Mortons, were instrumental in the organization of Hampden-Sydney College. James and Mary ran a boarding house for ministerial students. James was in very bad health, we have always heard, from war wounds. James died at Hampden-Sydney on 3 May 1876 and is buried on the campus of Hampden-Sydney College, in the churchyard of the College Church.

Mary continued to run the boarding house, supporting her family. Of her unmarried daughters, three of these met and married Presbyterian ministers - all attended the Seminary and boarded at the McNutt home: one of these was my grandmother! My grandfather, from Arkansas, attended the Seminary, boarded at the home of Mrs. James McNutt, met and married her daughter, Flora Lyle McNutt, after his graduation. According to my grandfather's Bible, he has written, "Charles C. Williams and Miss Flora Lyle McNutt were married in Ham Sidney, Va. October 2, 1883 at 4 P.M. by Revs. J. A. Ramsey, D.D. assisted by Charles White, D.D." Rev. J. A. Ramsey was the husband of Flora's sister, Isabella. (SEE WILLIAMS FAMILY).

Several years ago we found the graves of James and Mary, after searching for some years. James has a marker, in good condition, but Mary's grave is not marked. According to the College Church records, Mrs. James McNutt is buried there, but there is no marker.

When Mary was no longer able to run the boarding house, she lived in Hickory, N.C. with her daughter, Isabella, who was married to Dr. James A. Ramsay, Presbyterian minister. Mary died 21 June 1914, at age 93, and is buried at Hampden-Sydney.

Buried next to James is one of his brothers, William Morton McNutt, M.D. and his wife, Louisa Venable, who was a sister of Mary.

The following list of children, plus the listing of their children, and other genealogical information, was left by my grandmother, Flora, on three sheets of paper, now yellow with age, and given to me by my mother before she died,

Issue 8 children:

1. Jennie Reid McNutt, m. Henry Edward Watkins, M.D., issue 10 children:
   - 1a. James McNutt Watkins, m. Amanda Steigerwalt
   - 1b. Martha Scott Watkins, died 1890
   - 1c. Mary Venable Watkins, m. Wm. A. Bourne
   - 1d. Flora Lyle Watkins
   - 1e. Frank Nathaniel Watkins, m. Margaret Landrum
   - 1f. Etta Leigh Watkins, m. Richard H. Johnson
   - 1g. Henry Edward Watkins, m. Mary Barry
   - 1h. Susie Evans Watkins, m. John A. Clark
   - 1i. Reid Watkins, died in infancy
   - 1j. Charles Turner Watkins, m. Louise Orr

2. Mary Morton McNutt, m. John F. Brooks, issue 7 children:
   2a. Mary Morton Brooks, died in infancy
   2b. John Finley Brooks
   2c. Cornelia Belle Brooks, m. ____Calhoun
   2d. James McNutt Brooks
   2e. Samuel Woodson Brooks
   2f. Ruth Finley Brooks, m. W. Patterson
   2g. Venable Watkins Brooks
3. FLORA LYLE McNUTT, m. Charles Craig Williams, D.D. (SEE WILLIAMS FAMILY). Issue 3 sons:
   3a. James McNutt Williams, died in infancy
   3b. JOHN CHAPMAN WILLIAMS (SEE WILLIAMS FAMILY) (This was my father)
   3c. Charles C. Williams, died in infancy
4. Isabella Venable McNutt, m. James Alston Ramsay, D.D., Issue 2 children:
   4a. Julius McNutt Ramsay
   4b. Mary Venable Ramsay
5. Samuel Woodson McNutt, m. Mary Davis, Issue 7 children:
   5a. John Davis McNutt
   5b. Fannie McNutt
   5c. James Morton McNutt
   5d. Samuel Woodson McNutt
   5e. Mary Venable McNutt
   5f. Emma Belle McNutt
   5g. Jennie Margaret McNutt, died in infancy
6. Margaret Henry McNutt, m. R.E.C. Lawson, D.D.
7. James Morton McNutt, b. July 12, 1858, d. Nov. 1, 1863
8. Susan Watkins McNutt, b. July 1, 1863, died young. (Could not read death date on tombstone). Both James and Susan buried in churchyard at College Church, Hampden-Sydney College.

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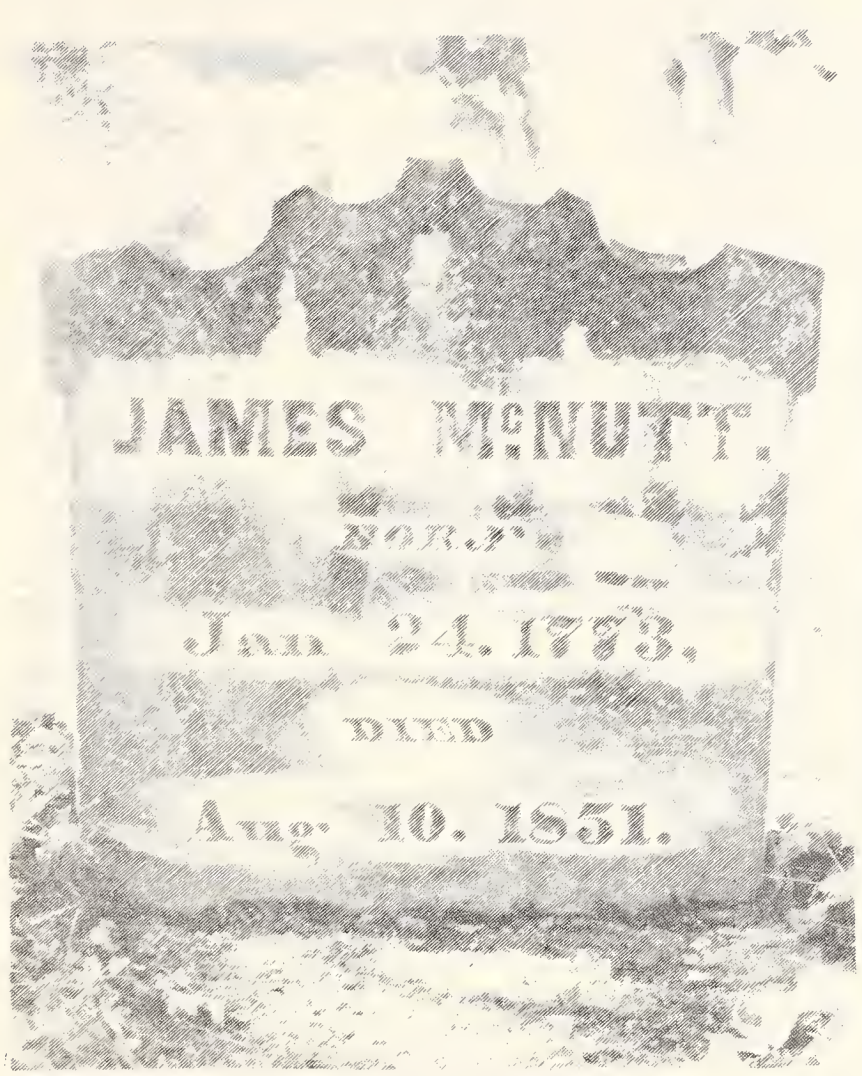
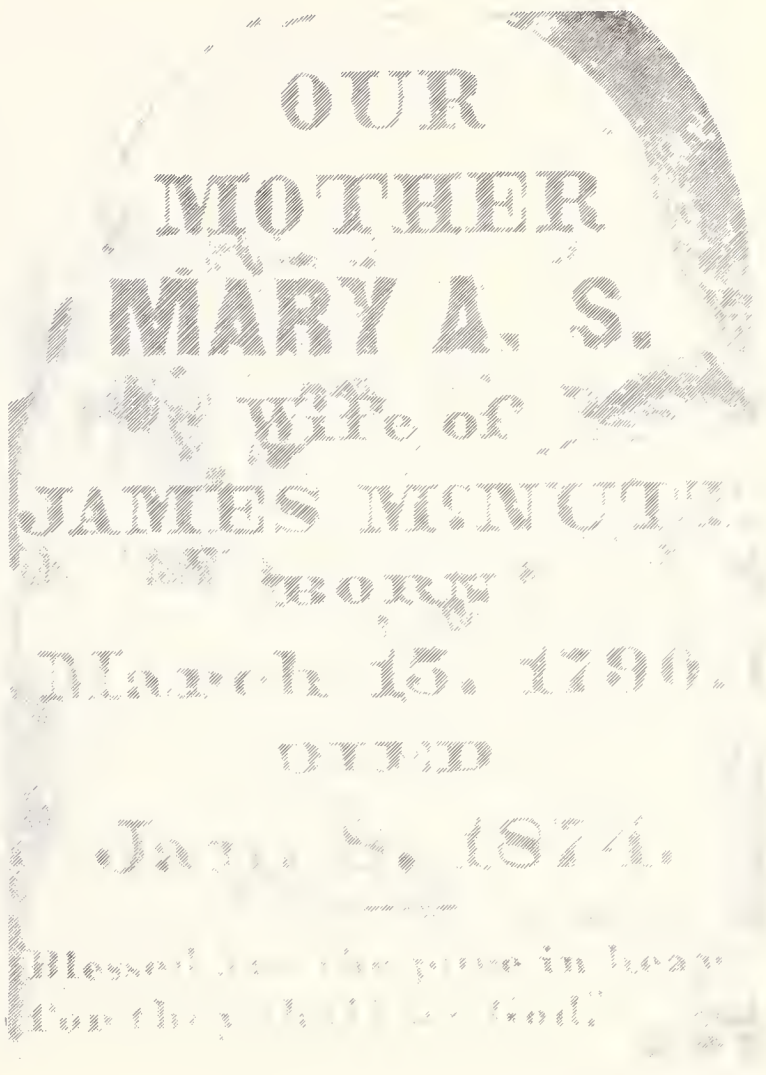
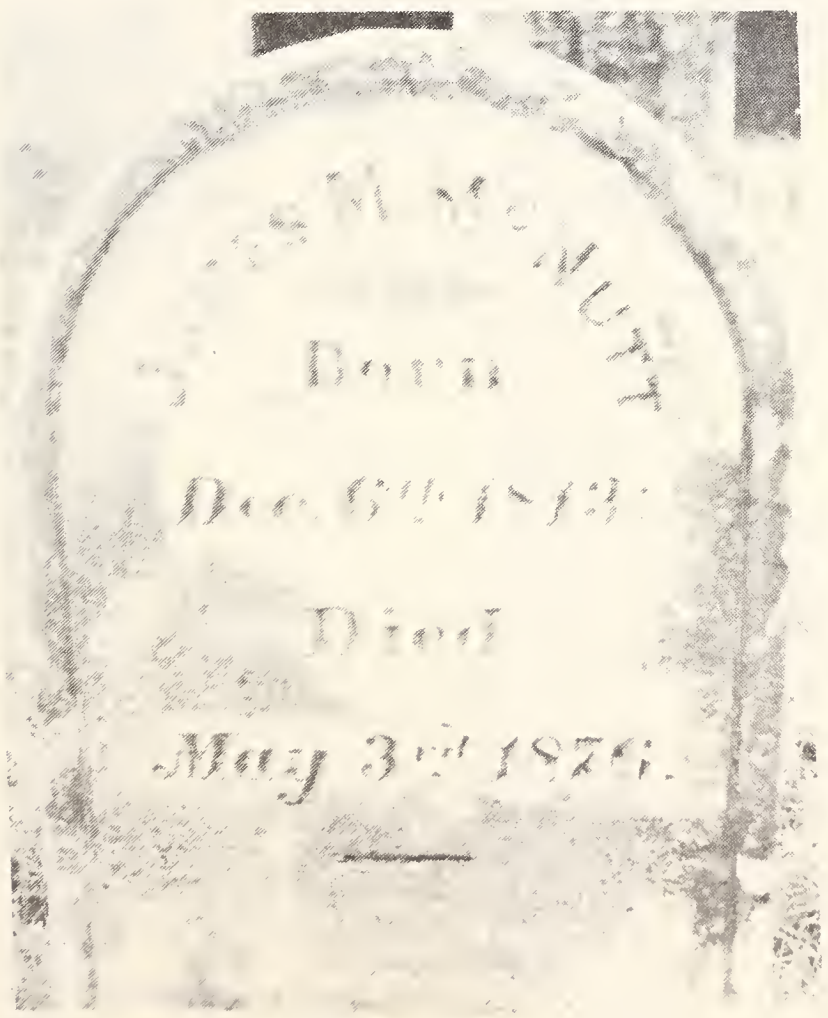
2. A History of Rockbridge County, Virginia, by Oren F. Morton
3. Annals of Augusta County, by Jos. A. Waddell
4. Revolutionary War Service Record of James McNutt
5. Confederate States Army Service Record of James Morton McNutt
6. Marriage Bond, Mary Anderson Smith Morton and James M. McNutt
7. United States Census Records
8. Bible of Rev. C.C. Williams, owned by my sister, Mrs. C.D.Godwin
9. Family records of marriages, children, etc. left to me by my grandmother.
10. Cemetery inscriptions in Augusta, Rockbridge and Prince Edward County, Va.



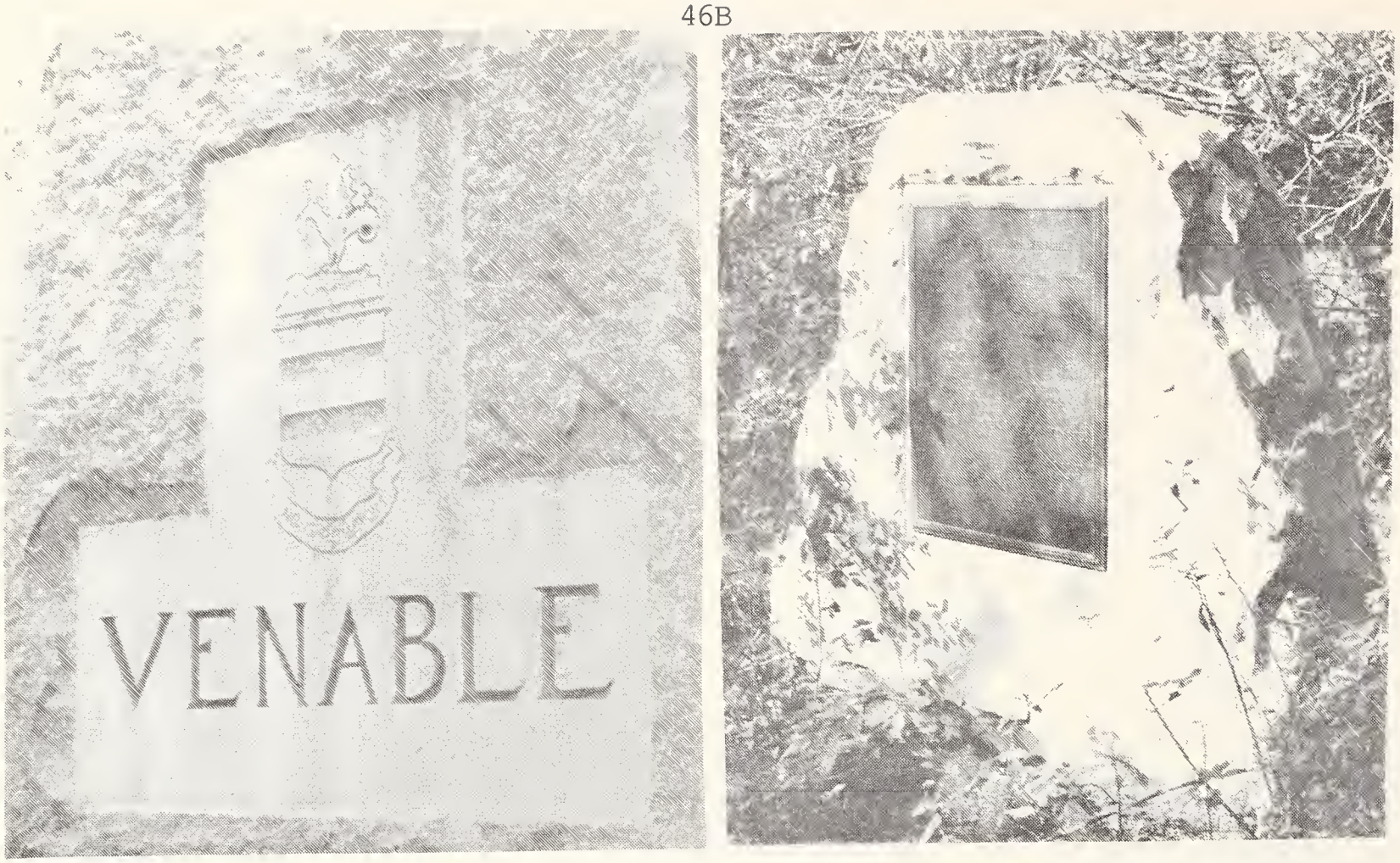


James and Mary Anderson Smith Morton McNutt
New Providence Presbyterian Churchyard, Rockbridge County, Virginia

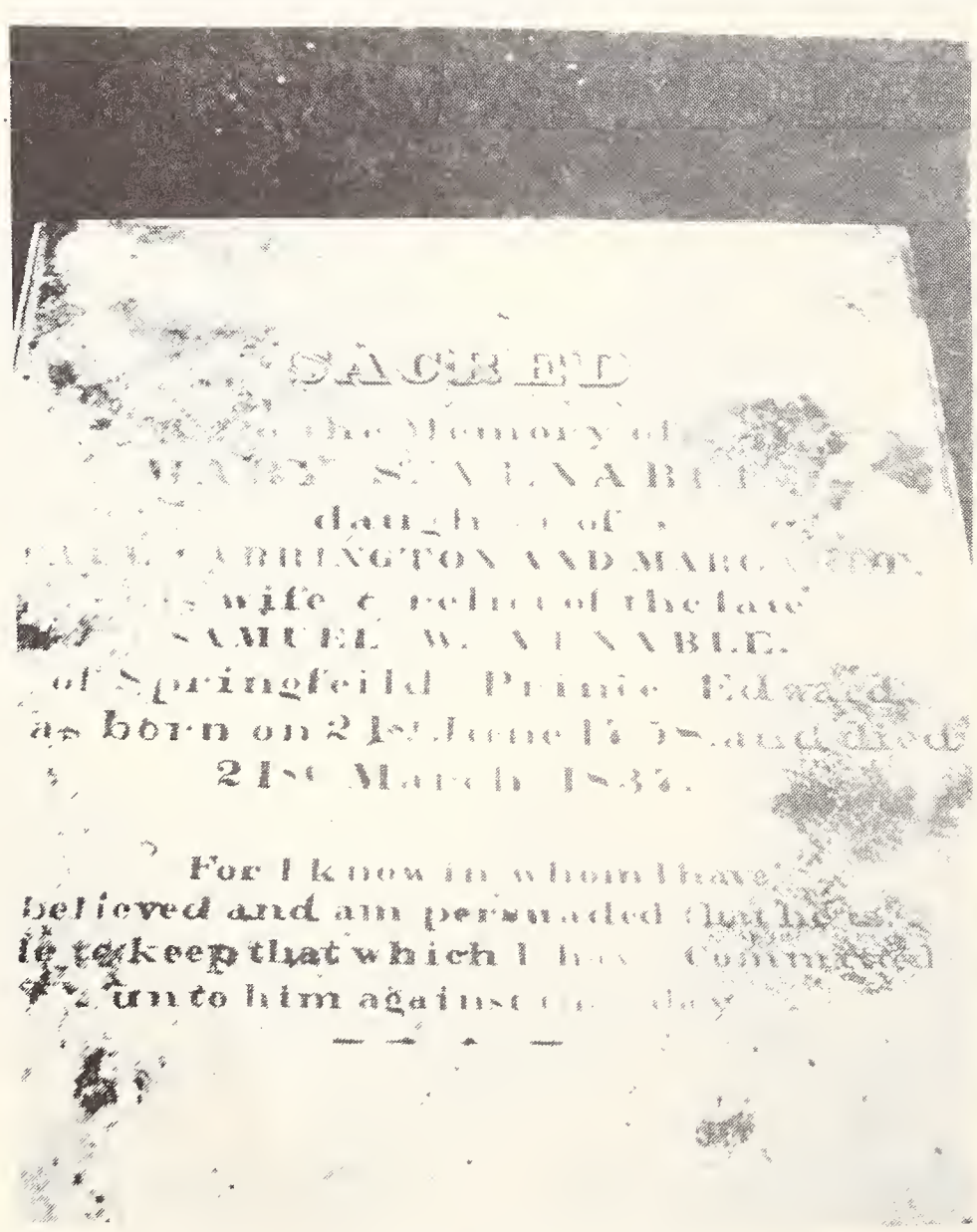


James Morton McNutt, College Church Cemetery, Hampton-Sydney, Va.

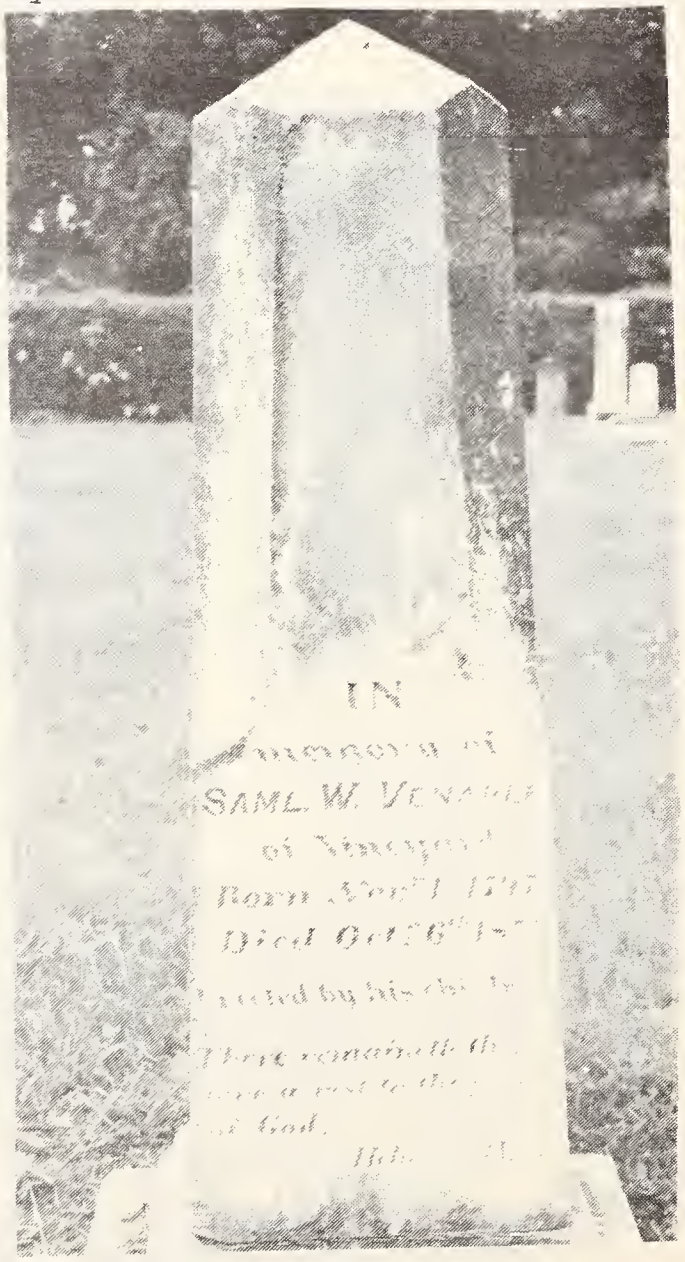
The "Birthplace" of Hampden-Sydney College, Nathaniel Venable's office.



"VENABLE" and Coat of Arms on large stone (right) at graves of Nathaniel and Elizabeth Michaux Woodson Venable, family cemetery at "Slate Hill".



Mary Scott Carrington Venable, College Church Cemetery, Hampden-Sydney



Samuel Woodson Venable, Jr.
College Church, Hampden-Sydney

Know all Men by these presents, That we James McNutt & James Morton

are held and firmly bound unto Leatherbury Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, to the payment whereof well and truly to be made to the said Lieutenant Governor or his successors in office for the use of the commonwealth, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 31st day of May 1811

The condition of this obligation is, that if there is no lawful cause to obstruct a marriage intended shortly to be had and solemnised between said James McNutt & Mary E. Morton daughter of said James Morton then this obligation to be void, or else to remain in full force, power and virtue.

Executed and Acknowledged in the presence of ...
B. J. Worsham

James McNutt (Seal)
James Morton (Seal)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we James M. McNutt and Wm H. Broaddus are held and firmly bound unto John M. Gregory Esquire, Governor or Chief Magistrate of the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the just and full sum of one hundred and fifty dollars; to the payment whereof, well and truly to be made to the said Governor for the time being, and his successors in office, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: sealed with our seals and dated this 20th day of September A. D. 1842

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, That, whereas, there is a marriage shortly to be had and solemnized between the above bound James M. McNutt and a certain Mary E. Broaddus daughter of Sam'l E. Broaddus of Prince Edw'd If, therefore, there be no lawful cause to obstruct the said marriage, then the above obligation to be void, or else to remain in full force and effect.

WITNESS,
B. J. Worsham

Jas. M. McNutt SEAL.
Wm H. Broaddus SEAL.

CHAPTER VI

VENABLE FAMILY

The name Venable was originally written with an "s" as Venables, and a Coat of Arms for the Venables family is found:

Arms: Azure, two bars, Argent.
Crest: On a wreath, a wyvern with wings endorsed, argent, standing on a fishweir devouring a child, and pierced through the neck by an arrow, all proper.
Motto: Nous Pervons - This motto is in a dialect of the Norman French and means, not as some say, "We Persevere" but "We pursue".

These arms are those of the barons of "Kinderton", Cheshire, the parent stock of all the English Venables, a copy of which was, in the early days, sent to the Virginia Venables by their English Cousins,

From William and Mary Quarterly, Vol. XV, pp 21-24: "Venables is a district about thirty miles beyond Rouen, on the road to Paris, between St. Pierre and Vernon (within a few miles of those places), and stands in the centre of the neck of a peninsular tract of land formed by a bend of the Seine, in the neighborhood of Beaumont, Gournay, and Bermieres. The high road runs straight through this tract to the centre of the arc of the Seine, which it intersects at a point where that river bends past the Petit Andeli, near the famous Chateau Gaillard, erected by Richard, Coeur de Lion for the defence of that part of Normandy. A map of this district, showing the position of Venables very clearly (near the forest of Andeli), and as one of the chief places, was published in Histoire de Chateau Gaillard, in 1829.

"Gislebertus de Venables, the ancestor of the Venables of England and of Virginia, accompanied William the Conqueror to England. His name (derived, by the way, from "Venabulum" a hunting spear or more properly boor spear reflects his origin, "Heredity Huntsmen" or Veneurs of the Norman Dukes) is found on the Roll of Battle Abbey. His family in Normandy does not appear under this name, the proper name being LeVenour (Veneru) or Venator, the latter evidently the Latin form of the name. As if there should be no doubt of this, Gislebertus de Venables, on the division of the spoils, received part of his share under the name of Venator, and many other English references to him are under this name.

"Gilbert Venables, using the English form, received extensive estates, and was one of the English Barons attached to the Earldom of Cheshire, under Hugh Lupus, with the title Baron of Kinderton. The ancient Castle of Kinderton stood near the banks of the Dane, two fields' breadth from the old Roman works of Condate- a part of the moat is all that is left of it. The Castle has been taken down as well as the later "Hall" which succeeded it.

"A brick mansion called "Kinderton Lodge" lies in another part of the Manor. He is referred to as the younger brother of Stephen, Earl of Blois, the father of Stephen, King of England, which would make him a descendant of Charlemagne; and he is also referred to as cousin-german to the Conqueror.

"The title and much of the estates, remained in the Venables family for nearly 700 years, or until the death of the last Baron, Sir Peter, when, by virtue of a will, the Venables title and arms were assumed by George Vernon, making the hyphenated Veables-Vernon, or Lord Vernon of the present day.

"With Sir Peter, the main line, coming through the direct heirs, became extinct. But there were numerous branches, through younger sons, scattered through England; and their pedigree, limited as English pedigrees are, may be found in several of the County histories of England, excepting Devonshire. There were no Venables in Devonshire. In none of these county histories has any clue been found to the emigrant to Virginia, Abraham Venables."

Of the English counties, there is one from Gnosall parish, Staffordshire, which could be our Venables. It states "Abraham Venables, son of Thomas Venables, bapt. Feb. 1, 1617." Then...."Thomas, son of Hugh and Elizabeth ap Lewis, bapt. Nov. 21, 1642." Also, there is evidence that Captain Hugh Lewis, father-in-law of our Abraham Venables I, was in Barbados in 1679.

ABRAHAM VENABLES
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ABRAHAM 1. From the Compendium of American Genealogy, First Families of America, edited by Frederick Adams Virkus, Vol. VI. p. 813. "Abraham Venables came from England in the "Friend's Adventure" ca. 1685 to New Kent County, Va." In 1687 Abraham was in New Kent County. St. Peter's Parish Register, New Kent County, Va. p. 71, says, "Sarah, wife of Abraham Venables, deceased ye 13 day of Feb. 1687-8. Isaac deceased same day. Abraham, son of Abraham Venables, baptized the 27th April 1701." So it would seem that Abraham married (1) Sarah, who died in 1687, issue Isaac, born dead, and possibly another son, John. Abraham I married a second time to Elizabeth Lewis, widow of John Hicks or Nicks, and daughter of Hugh ap Lewis and had one son, Abraham Venables II.

From the records of William Lewis Morton, their great grandson, we find "Hugh Lewis came first with his wife and daughter, Abadiah Lewis, and lost his wife in America and returned to Britain with Abadiah, his only (unmarried) daughter and both returned to America with Robert Davis."

Hotten's List of Persons of Quality, etc. Emigrants to the American Plantations 1600-1700, there is a John Hicks or Nicks living in Barbados in 1679, p,.503:

"Parish of St. James, Barbadoes (not Virginia); Ann. Accot. of The Land as itt-standeth in ye Church Books: With the Number of Servants and Negroes with Names of The Owners thereof. In The psh = of St. James = As - Was taken by The Church Wardens of the said Parish on the 20th December 1679.

Lewis = Hugh = Capt. Land 40 A, negroes 15."

Thus, it appears that Abraham Venables I of New Kent County, Virginia, married (2) Elizabeth Lewis, daughter of Captain Hugh Lewis, and an older sister of Abadiah Lewis, who was the widow of John Nicks or Hicks, recorded as living in Barbados in 1679.

ABRAHAM VENABLES II
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ABRAHAM 2, Abraham 1. Abraham II, the son of Abraham I and his wife, Elizabeth (Lewis) Venables, was born 22 March 1700, baptized 27 April 1701 in St. Peter's Parish, New Kent County, Virginia. According to records of Abram B. Venable of "Scott-Greene", Prince Edward County, Virginia, written about 1870, he says. "He (Abraham II) lived first on the Pamunky River in what was then New Kent Co., Va., afterwards, King and Queen, which was cut off from New Kent in 1691, and later and at present, King William County, which was cut off from King and Queen in 1701. Abraham Venables II moved from the Pamunky region and settled in what was then Goochland County, in the fork between the Rivanna and the James River. This region was cut off into Albemarle County in 1744 and in 1771 that end of Albemarle was formed into the present county of Fluvanna. The land upon which the village of Columbia is situated is a portion of the original home tract of this Abraham Venables II." Abraham Venables II owned large tracts of land in Hanover, Louisa, Goochland and Albemarle Counties.

Abraham II was a man much active in the affairs of his country and church. He was Justice of the Peace of Hanover County, Va. before 1742, one of the first justices of Louisa County, Dec. 24, 1742; after 1742, County Lieutenant of Louisa; Captain in the Colonial Militia, Louisa County; Member of the House of Burgesses from Louisa for over twenty years. He was vestryman of St. Paul's Parish in Hanover County, Va. prior to 1742, of Trinity Parish 1762-68 and of Fredericksville Parish 1742-1761. He was friend, political supporter and client of Patrick Henry.

Abraham II married Martha Davis in Hanover County, Va. in 1723. She was born 14 July 1702 and died 18 Feb. 1765, was the daughter of Robert and Abadiah (Lewis) Davis, and was an earnest Quakeress. This is from the records of William Lewis Morton, son of Elizabeth Venable and Josiah Morton. Mr. Morton stated "Hugh Lewis was my mother's great grandfather, his daughter, Abadiah Lewis married Robert Davis." This was reprinted in the Venables of Virginia by Elizabeth Marshall Venable, p.19.

Issue 10 children:

1. Abraham, m. Elizabeth Michaux, dtr. Jacob Michaux of Cumberland County.
2. Hugh Lewis, m. Mary Martin, dtr. Wm. Martin of Albemarle County.
3. Charles, m. Elizabeth Smith, dtr. Robert Smith of Port Royal.
4. NATHANIEL, b. 1 Nov. 1733; d. 27 Dec.1804; m. Elizabeth Woodson (SEE WOODSON FAMILY).
5. James, m. Judith Morton, dtr. Joseph Morton of Charlotte County.
6. William, m. Ann Clark, dtr. Isaac Clark of Louisa County.
7. John, m. Agnes Moorman, dtr. Charles Moorman of Louisa County.
8. Elizabeth, m. Josiah Morton of Charlotte County.
9. Mary, m. Charles Moorman of Louisa County.
10. Ann, m. Phil King of Cumberland County.

NATHANIEL VENABLE
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NATHANIEL 3, Abraham 2, Abraham 1. Nathaniel was born in Hanover County, Virginia, 1 Nov. 1733 and died in Prince Edward County on 27 Dec. 1804. On 29 Mar. 1755 Nathaniel married Elizabeth Woodson, daughter of "Baron" Richard Woodson and his wife Anne Madelin Michaux, at "Poplar Hill" in Prince Edward County. (SEE WOODSON AND MICHAUX FAMILIES). The marriage bond is on file at

the Prince Edward County Court House in Farmville, Va. and is dated 24 Mar. 1755, signed by Nathaniel Venable and Abraham Venable, Jr. I have a copy of this Marriage Bond in my files. Elizabeth Woodson was born 6 June 1740 and died 27 Sept. 1791. Both are buried in the family cemetery at "Slate Hill".

Three sons of Abraham II settled in Prince Edward County, Abram B. and Charles settled in the area known as Prospect neighborhood, near the Appomattox River which separated Prince Edward from Buckingham County. Nathaniel settled near the center of the County and owned the lands on which the old Court House and the surrounding village of Worsham stands.

Nathaniel's home was "Slate Hill" plantation and was an extensive estate of twenty or thirty thousand acres, served by something like a hundred slaves. The house was a simple story and a half, the dwelling of a pioneer in a new country, and that is exactly what Prince Edward County was when Nathaniel settled there. The spacious rooms, lofty ceilings, massive fireplaces and extensive bookcases gave it an unmistakable charm.

Nathaniel was a Justice of the Prince Edward County Court, officer of the militia, member of the Virginia Council, member of the House of Burgesses, member of Prince Edward Committee of Safety. He was one of the founders and a member of the Board of Trustees of Hampden-Sydney College, a vestryman of the Episcopal Church, but later joined the Presbyterian Church. He was one of the three largest contributors to a fund to be invested for the support of Old Cumberland Church in 1767.

There is a story that is told when Tarleton's troop "passed through Prince Edward on a general plundering expedition". They visited Slate Hill, with the purpose of capturing Nathaniel Venable who had been collecting supplies for the Virginia soldiers; but he escaped, having received timely warning. Some of these supplies were at Slate Hill and Mrs. Venable at once had them stored in empty tobacco hogsheads (casks), had them rolled out in front of the barns as if ready to be shipped to the tobacco market. The trick succeeded!

"They committed some robberies, destroyed some furniture, and one of their number with a pistol pointed at the breast of Mrs. Venable, demanded that she reveal her husband's whereabouts, or he would shoot her down. Her calm reply was, "Fire away! My husband has his country to defend!' At this instant an officer intervened and ordered the man away who had offered the indignity, severly reprimanding him." This from the manuscript book of Abraham B. Venable.

The book of public claims of Prince Edward County, allowed by the General Assembly of 1782, show certain items that indicate that Madam Venable was very active in behalf of the American cause, while her husband was absent on war duties:

"Elizabeth Venable, for 7 days service of a waggoner furnished John Morton." (Commissary)
"Seven days service, her waggoner and team to remove public flour, found by herself."
"78½ lbs. Lead furnished the Militia (when Lord Cornwallis was at Dan River) and was carried to General Green." From Genealogies of Virginia Families, Vol. IV, p. 370-371.

Just a short distance from the town of Worsham is the family seat of Slate Hill. We found the land of Slate Hill in 1985. There was a certain sadness at finding it because the house long ago burned, and not far from where the house stood is a modern brick home. The present owner of the Slate Hill land today kindly gave us permission to walk through their pastures to the site of the old home; all that could be seen was parts of the foundation which is all that is left of this once lovely home of our ancestors! Not far from the site of the house is the family cemetery. This, too, was a disaster! The wall of the cemetery is crumbling in places and much grown up with weeds and brambles. But in the cemetery are the graves of our ancestors. There is a large monument made of stone. On one side is the very large word "VENABLE" above which is the Venable Coat of Arms. On the other side of the monument is a metal plaque inscribed as follows:

"CAPTAIN NATHANIEL VENABLE 1733-1804, Planter, Vestry Clerk of French's Church, St. Patrick's Parish, Member of the House of Burgesses 1766-69, Member of the Prince Edward Committee of Safety, Captain in the Revolutionary War, Member of the House of Delegates, Member of the Virginia Senate 1780-82, Justice of the Peace Prince Edward County, County Lieutenant of Prince Edward, a Founder of Hampden-Sydney College and Trustee until 1804.

ELIZABETH MICHAUX WOODSON VENABLE, 1740-1791, Wife of Nathaniel Venable and Mother of his Fourteen Children, Seven of whom are buried here.

OF SUCH AS THESE WERE THE CORNER STONES OF OUR NATION."

There have been many changes that have taken place in Prince Edward since the days of Nathaniel. The little town of Worsham is almost non-existent, the Prince Edward Court House is no longer there, but now in the city of Farmville, about fifteen miles from Slate Hill. As we drove up the highway toward Farmville, we passed a sign, pointing to the left, that said Hampden-Sydney. We drove thru the lovely old campus of Hampden-Sydney College, and there was a feeling of "belonging" at that place. We passed the College Church and later found the graves of my great grandparents, Mary Carrington Venable McNutt and James Morton McNutt at the College Church Cemetery. (SEE McNUTT FAMILY). Also, just a short distance from their graves were those of Mary's brother, Major Andrew Venable and his wife, and some of his children Dr. William Morton McNutt, his wife and some of their children are there. Several years later, we also found, in the College Church Cemetery, other family graves, including those of Mary Scott Carrington Venable, wife of Samuel Woodson Venable, Sr., their son, Samuel Woodson Venable, Jr., and several of his children. It was on this campus that my grandmother, Flora McNutt, met my grandfather, Charles Craig Williams, and they were married there after he received his degree of Divinity, for at the time he went there Union Theological Seminary was at Hampden-Sydney.

We passed "Morton Hall" named for another ancestor, Captain John Morton, also one of the first trustees for the college. We passed the little office building, moved from Slate Hill, often called the "birthplace of Hampden-Sydney College". (Several years later when we went back, we were privileged to go inside and see this small building.) This was the office building of Nathaniel Venable, that stood close by his house, where the Hanover Presbytery met on Feb. 1-3, 1775, receiving the reports of solicitors for funds for a new institution of learning, and laid final plans for what would be Hampden-Sydney College which opened on the 1st day of January, 1776. Some time after this, the

little office building was moved and attached to the main house, and, in time, after Slate Hill passed from the Venables, this building was given by Mr. Gordon and Mr. Marvin MacFarland, the new owners, to the college. The little building was moved by truck to the campus where it was refurbished and now stands in what was once its original glory, as it was when built about 1752-1762. From Prince Edward County, Bicentennial Celebration Booklet, 1976.

Nathaniel's Will was dated this Ninth day of July in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and three, his Executor was Richard N. Venable, his son, was proved at a Court held for Prince Edward County June the 17th 1805, proved by the Oaths of Joshua League and James Wood two of the Witnesses, and was ordered that same be recorded.

Issue of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Woodson) Venable - 14 children:

1. SAMUEL WOODSON, b. at Slate Hill, 19 Sept. 1756; d. Sweet Springs, Va., 7 Sept. 1821, thought to be buried at Sweet Springs; m. 15 Aug. 1781 at Mulberry Hill, Charlotte County, to Mary Scott Carrington, b. 10 Nov. 1756; d. 21 May 1837, buried College Church Cemetery, Hampden-Sydney. (SEE CARRINGTON FAMILY).
2. Abraham Bedford, b. Slate Hill, 20 Nov. 1758; d. 26 Dec. 1811, burned in Richmond Theatre disaster; Unmarried.
3. Betsy Anne, b. Slate Hill, 11 Nov. 1760; d. 1826; m. Capt. Thomas Watkins
4. Richard N., b. 16 Jan. 1763; m. Mary Morton, dtr. Col. William M. Morton
5. Martha, b. May 1765; m. her cousin, Nathaniel Venable
6. Ann, b. 6 Nov. 1767; d. 1768
7. Ann, b. 9th Dec. 1768; m. James Daniel
8. Agnes, b. 15 April 1771; d. unmarried, 1802
9. Mary, b. 16th June 1773, d. 1807
10. Nathaniel, b. 13th Feb. 1776; d. 23 Aug. 1801
11. Frances, b. 18 April 1778; d. June 1799, unmarried
12. William, b. March 1780; d. 1824; m. Frances W. Nantz
13. Thomas, b. 4 Nov. 1782; d. 1809, unmarried
14. Elizabeth, b. 21 Nov. 1784; m. Dr. Goodrich Wilson

SAMUEL WOODSON VENABLE
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SAMUEL 4, Nathaniel 3, Abraham 2, Abraham 1. Samuel was the eldest son of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Woodson) Venable. He was born at Slate Hill, Prince Edward County, Virginia, 19 Sept. 1756; died at Sweet Springs, Virginia 7 Sept. 1821, is thought to be buried there; married 15 August 1781 at Mulberry Hill, Charlotte County, Va., Mary Scott Carrington, daughter of Judge Paul Carrington and his first wife, Margaret (Read) Carrington. Mary was born 10 Nov. 1756 at Mulberry Hill and died at Springfield, 21 March 1837, is buried at the College Church Cemetery at Hampden-Sydney (SEE CARRINGTON FAMILY). Their home was "Springfield" plantation, cut off of the Slate Hill land by Nathaniel as their wedding gift. This grand old home burned many, many years ago. This was across the road from the Slate Hill home.

Samuel was a well educated man. He graduated first from Hampden-Sydney College and in 1780 at Nassau Hall (Princeton), where he was an honors student and delivered the valedictory address in Latin, as was usual in those days. He was a Trustee of Hampden-Sydney College from 1782 until his death, and always its faithful supporter.

In 1776, while a student at Prince Edward Academy, the students organized themselves into a military company and elected one of their tutors, Rev. John Blair Smith, their captain. Samuel W. Venable was ensign. In Sept. 1777 this company of school boys marched to Williamsburg to help defend it against an anticipated invastion by the British. Afterward Governor Henry complimented the company and dismissed it. When General Greene called for troops, when he was retreating from the South toward Virginia, before Cornwallis, a company of Dragoons from Prince Edward County, commanded by Capt. Thomas Watkins, reported to this camp. Samuel Woodson Venable was Cornet of this company and participated in the battle of Guilford Court House, March, 1781. He also served on General Green's staff.

According to Dr. Archibald Alexander, p. 129-130, he says that "Samuel W. Venable intended to study law, but was led by some circumstances to engage in merchandise. Heavy losses of his father by the Revolutionary War and Continental money, and his generous acceptance of the duty of assisting his younger brothers and sisters to get an education. He was a man of clear head and sound judgement."

Samuel Woodson Venable was married to Mary Scott Carrington, daughter of Judge Paul Carrington, Sr. and his wife, Margaret Read. In Dr. Alexander's book he describes her as, "A woman of uncommon vivacity, wit and power of sarcasm. She added to these gifts great practical judgement which she displayed in the management of her household, and the rearing of her large family, and all was crowned and chastened by earnest piety. In powers of conversation she is said to have had few equals. Her company was always enjoyed on account of her bright wit and amusing criticisms on men and passing events. She frequently visited the Virginia Springs where she was usually surrounded by groups of young people entertained by her conversation. Her fame was so great that she was often referred to as 'John Randolph in petticoats.'"

Issue 12 children:

1. Elizabeth Woodson, m. William W. Watkins
2. Margaret Read, m. Nicholas Cabell, Jr.
3. Anne Mayo, m. Isaac Read, Jr.
4. Mary Carrington, m. William M. Womack
5. Clementina, m. Rev. William S. Reid
6. Henningham, m. Rev. Robert Anderson
7. Nathaniel E., m. Mary Embry Scott
8. Paul Carrington, m. (1) Elizabeth D. Coleman; m. (2) Emily Carrington
9. Agnes Woodson, m. Capt. Henry E. Watkins
10. SAMUEL WOODSON, JR. b. 1 Nov. 1797; d. 6 Oct. 1855, buried College Church Cemetery, Hampden-Sydney; m. Jane Stuart Reid (SEE REID FAMILY).
11. Abram Watkins, m. Isabella Alston Brown
12. Mildren Coles, m. Rev. Chas. Shepperson

SAMUEL WOODSON VENABLE, JR.
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SAMUEL 5, Samuel 4, Nathaniel 3, Abraham 2, Abraham 1. Samuel, Jr. was born at "Springfield" in Prince Edward County, Va. on 1 Nov. 1797 and died at his plantation, "Vineyard", in Prince Edward County on 6 Oct. 1855, and is buried at the College Church Cemetery. He married Jane Stuart Reid, daughter of Andrew and Magdalene (McDowell) Reid of Mulberry Hill in Rockbridge County, Virginia,

near Lexington, on 14 Feb. 1821. Samuel,Jr. received his degree from Hampden-Sydney College in 1819. He became a planter and they lived on their plantation "Vineyard".

Issue 6 children:

1. MARY CARRINGTON, b. 1821, m. 22 Sept. 1842, James Morton McNutt, son of James and Mary Anderson Smith (Morton) McNutt of Rockbridge Co., Va. (SEE McNUTT FAMILY). Their Marriage Bond is on file at the Prince Edward County Court House. The bond is dated 20 Sept. 1842 and signed by Jas. M. McNutt and S. W. Venable. Mary died 21 June 1914 at age 93 and she and James are buried in the College Church Cemetery on the campus of Hampden-Sydney College.
2. Margaret Ann, m. J. G. Ligon
3. Magdaline McDowell, b. 20 Nov. 1823; d. 1 Sept. 1834, buried College Church
4. Louisa, b. 4 June 1830; d. 4 Apr. 1922, buried College Church Cemetery; m. Dr. William Morton McNutt, b. 28 Jan. 1822; d. 6 June 1886, buried College Church Cemetery. (Louisa was the sister of Mary, above, and William was the brother of James, Mary's husband.)
5. Major Andrew Reid Venable, b. 2 Dec. 1832; d. 15 Oct. 1909 at "Milnwood" in Prince Edward County, buried College Church Cemetery; m. 1864 Adeline Hackney Stevens, niece of Gov. Stevens of Maryland. It should be noted that Major Andrew Venable, brother of my great grandmother, served in the Confederate Army, and was on the staff of General J.E.B. Stewart, who died in the arms of this intimate friend. Major Venable was then on General Stonewall Jackson's staff, and afterwards on General Fitzhugh Lee's staff.
6. Jane Reid, b. 17 Feb. 1828; d. 18 Feb. 1894, buried College Church Cemetery; unmarried. (On the United States Census records, she is shown as living at the same address as James and Mary McNutt. It is thought that "Miss Janie" helped Mary in managing the boarding house at Hampden-Sydney).

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CHAPTER VII

MORTON, ANDERSON, SMITH and COCKE FAMILIES

MORTON FAMILY

Our immigrant ancestor in the Morton family is John Morton, but I can find no reference as to when he came to America. In the Henrico County Records Book I, 1677-1692, p. 225, it shows that "John Morton married Joane Hughes, widow in 1682."

Further, in 1691, the Henrico County, Virginia Records Books, 1682-1701, p. 413, states "Upon petition of Henry Randolph these may clarify that there is due him 100 acres of land for importing these two persons, Susannah Symonds and Ann Hughes." It would appear that Joane Hughes came to this country with the family of Henry Randolph. Also, Henrico Records show "certificate that John Morton had imported himself and wife from England and was entitled to land grant." It would appear, from this, that this John Morton was the immigrant.

JOHN MORTON
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JOHN 1. The birth date and death date of this John Morton is unknown. It appears that John married Joane Hughes, a widow of Louisa County, in 1682.

Issue 3 sons:
1. John, Jr., b. 1683, m. Elizabeth ____
2. THOMAS, b. 1690, m. Elizabeth Woodson (SEE WOODSON FAMILY).
3. Joseph, b. 1693/5

THOMAS MORTON
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THOMAS 2, John 1. Thomas, son of John and Joane (Hughes) Morton was born in 1690, d. Henrico County 1730; m. Elizabeth Woodson, daughter of Richard and Ann (Smith) Woodson (SEE WOODSON FAMILY). After Thomas' death Elizabeth married Edmond Goode and he raised the Morton children.

Thomas' will was filed in Henrico County in 1731 and mentions the following: "Eldest son Richard 212 acres where I now live. Son Thomas 250 acres south side of Appomattox in Prince George County (later Amelia and Prince Edward), son John 200 acres adjoining son Thomas. Eldest daughter Ann 150 acres adjoining her brother, John. Daughter Judith 150 acres adjoining Ann." Deed Book 1731, Part I, p. 293.

Issue 5 children:
1. Richard, b. 1721; d. after 1786; m. Judith Quinn
2. Ann, m. William Gwathright of Louisa County, Va.

3. Judith, m. ____Goode
4. Thomas, b. ca. 1726; d. 1802 Prince Edward Co.; m. Cicily Katherine Moore
5. JOHN, b. 1730 Henrico Co., Va.; d. at Clinch Mountain, Va. (now West Va.) in 1796, thought to be buried there; m. Mary Elizabeth Anderson (SEE ANDERSON FAMILY).

JOHN MORTON
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JOHN 3, Thomas 2, John 1. John, son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Woodson) Morton, b. 9 Feb. 1730; d. at Clinch Mountain, Va. (now West Virginia) in 1796; married Mary Elizabeth Anderson when she was only fourteen years old and he was twenty. Mary was born 19 Nov. 1736 in Hanover County, Va. and died in Prince Edward County. She is buried in a small cemetery near their home "Morton Hall" and there are no markers there. In May, 1989 we visited the site of "Morton Hall" and the large chimney is all that is left of the once lovely old home.

In 1759, in Cumberland County, John is mentioned as letting the contract for a County jail, he was on the building committee for a new Court House, received 175 pounds of tobacco for seven days attendance at court as a witness, proposed and saw to the building of new roads and bridges; was on a committee to help clear the Appomattox. He was a colonel in the Militia in 1762, was on the ill-fated Shawnee Indian expedition, was a First Lieutenant in Major Lewis Andrew's detachment of the First Virginia Regiment in the French and Indian Wars. In 1754-76 and in 1785 he was a County Court Justice, was Sheriff in 1776 and in 1778, one of two Commissioners of Revenue from 1786 to 1796 and a Delegate to the General Assembly of Virginia 1778. In June 1776 he and nine other men of Prince Edward County met as a "Committee of Prince Edward" to consider the events that led to the break with England. They realized that the break was inevitable, met again in July, made rules and appointed a committee of Safety for the County.

Herbert Clarence Bradshaw in his History of Prince Edward County, Virginia, p. 111, "....Robert Lawson was commissioned major on February 13, 1776, and was soon promoted to Lieutenant Colonel. On February 19, 1776, officers of the Second Company of the Fourth Regiment were commissioned: John Morton, captain; John Holcombe, first lieutenant; Obadiah Woodson, second lieutenant, and Edward Wood, ensign...."

"Morton's company left Prince Edward Courthouse in March, 1776 for Suffolk. There and at Portsmouth it was engaged in skirmishes with Lord Dunmore's forces. After Dunmore left Virginia waters in September, 1776, the Fourth Virginia Regiment went by water to the head of the Elk (in Maryland) and thence marched through Philadelphia and Newark to New Brunswick, New Jersey, where it joined Washington's army after its retreat from Fort Washington. The regiment was in the battles of Trenton, Princeton, Brandywine, and Germantown and was at Valley Forge in the winter of 1777-8. During this period Lawson had been promoted to colonel."

He was known as "Captain" John and he raised a company of soldiers in Prince Edward County for the 4th regiment of the Continental army in 1776. In the Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Vol. XVII, p. 305-308, there appears a roster of Captain John's company. Captain John was also deputy Commissioner under Quarter Master General John Pierce of the Continental Army.

John Morton was active in civic affairs after the Revolutionary War, but one of his most important accomplishments was the important role he played in the establishing of Hampden-Sydney College. He was on the committee to draw plans and let contracts for the building, and was one of the first Trustees of the College. Morton Hall, one of the present classroom buildings at Hampden-Sydney was the gift of Samuel Packwood Morton, of Baltimore, in honor of his ancestor, Captain John.

This is the ancestor I chose to use to join the National Society of the Dames of the Court of Honor, National number 3233.

Issue 15 children:

1. Charles, b. 19 June 1752; m. Judith Walker
2. Elizabeth, b. 28 Nov. 1754; m. Jacob Woodson
3. JAMES, b. 8 Sept. 1756; d. 21 Jan. 1847, age 91; buried family cemetery at "Willington", but no markers there; m. Mary Smith, 5 Nov. 1782 (SEE SMITH FAMILY.)
4. Hezekiah, b. 28 Nov. 1757; m. Phoebe Mosely
5. Benjamin, b. 24 Feb. 1760; d. 1816; m. Agnes Morton
6. Jacob, b. 3 Nov. 1761
7. Josiah, b. 26 Apr. 1763
8. Nathaniel, b. 9 Apr. 1765; d. 1808 Baltimore
9. Mary, b. 28 Sept. 1766
10. Nancy, b. 16 May 1768; m. Carter Thompson
11. Sally, b. 4 June 1770
12. John Archer, b. 18 Nov. 1772; m. Cora Lee Henry, dtr. of Gov. of Haiti; Minister to France; settled Bordeaux, France.
13. Richard, b. 25 Jan. 1776, never married
14. Obadiah, b. 22 Dec. 1778; m. Elizabeth Ligon
15. Patty, b. 15 Dec. 1780, never married

JAMES MORTON
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JAMES 4, John 3, Thomas 2, John 1. James, son of Captain John and Mary Elizabeth (Anderson) Morton, was born 8 Sept. 1756, Prince Edward County and died 21 Jan. 1847 at High Hill, the home of his son, Dr. William Smith Morton, in Cumberland County on the Appomattox River. James and Mary are both buried, with other family members, on their plantation "Willington" in Prince Edward County, but we could find no markers in this cemetery (May, 1989).

James married Mary Smith on 5 Nov. 1782 (From Powhatan County, Va. Marriages 1777-1830, p. 4.). Mary was the daughter of William and Mary Smith of Montrose, Powhatan County, Va., was born 4 July 1755 in Powhatan County and died 2 Feb. 1815 at Willington. The death date of James and the birth and death dates of Mary Morton were found on a piece of scrap paper in the Hugh Blair Grigsby papers in the Virginia Historical Society Manuscript Papers in Richmond, Va.

James was in the Revolutionary War, enlisted originally in Captain John's company, the 4th Virginia regiment, and is listed in the original Roster as Sergeant. He was commissioned ensign in Sept. 1776; first lieutenant April 1, 1778. From May to Sept. 1778, the 4th, 8th and 12th Virginia Regiments were consolidated and, about the same time, James Morton was transferred to Capt. John Stith's Company of the consolidated regiment. James became a Major and was

known as "Old Solid Column". He was also on Washington's staff and was an Aide to Lafayette. James received 3,370 acres of land from Virginia for his military service.

From Today and Yesterday in the Heart of Virginia, published by the Farmville Herald, p. 291-292, "Rev. Drury Lacy, D.D., said of him: 'If ever a man deserved promotion, Major Morton did. He was a man of indomitable courage and energy as his entire service of eight years in the army abundantly proved; enduring hardships and privations, hunger, nakedness and cold, the very recital of which often made my young blood bound with enthusiasm, or sent the cold chills through my whole frame with a shudder.'" Dr. Lacy also said that when he was a little boy, he listened for hours while the Major and his comrades in arms would talk and fight over the battles that they had been engaged in. Willington was the scene of many reunions of other revolutionary officers and soldiers.

After the Revolutionary War, James and Mary first lived at Wayside, just off the Hampden-Sydney College campus. He operated a store there also, and it was a type of "College Shop" and he ordered books and other necessities for the Hampden-Sydney boys. He later built a larger home, called Willington, about four miles from the campus and there they raised their family. James was a trustee for the Hampden-Sydney College from 1792 until 1835 (43 years). He was also one of the twelve of the first trustees of Union Theological Seminary which was originally at Hampden-Sydney, later moving to Richmond. Union Theological Seminary was founded by the son-in-law of James and Mary, husband of daughter, Nancy, Rev. John Holt Rice.

James was a lifelong Presbyterian, an Elder in the Presbyterian Church and was a civil Magistrate. Years afterward, after James died, Dr. Moses D. Hoge, in a sermon at Old Market, said of him: "He was so upright, so downright, so outright, so all-right; that they called him 'Solid Column'. He was an old time Virginia farmer; one of the best magistrates that ever sat on the bench, brave as Julius Caesar, gentle as a woman. He feared God; kept the Sabbath; paid his debts; and hated the devil."

It is said of Major James Morton, that he would take his seat in the pulpit beside the minister, and on the reading of the Hymns would rise, 'parcel out the lines' and raise the tune. His manner and his solemn dirge-like airs were impressed on all who heard him. He was known as honest and straight-forward in all dealings.

Issue James and Mary 5 children:

1. Nancy Ann Smith Morton, b. 1785; m. Rev. John Holt Rice, D.D. who was the founder of Union Theological Seminary, at Hampden-Sydney, now at Richmond.
2. William Smith Morton, Doctor; m. Elvira Minor; graduated from Hampden-Sydney, served continuously 49 years as Trustee.
3. MARY ANDERSON SMITH MORTON, b. 15 March 1790; d. 8 Jan. 1874; m. JAMES McNUTT 1 June 1811. The Marriage Bond for Mary A.S., is on file at the Prince Edward Court House in Farmville, and several years ago when we were there, I secured a copy of this Marriage Bond and it reads, "....between said James McNutt and Mary A.S. Morton, daughter of said James Morton." This is signed by James McNutt and James Morton, dated 31 May 1811. Mary and James are buried in the churchyard at New Providence Presbyterian Church in Rockbridge County, Virginia, just a few miles north of Brownsburg, Va. We found their graves several years ago and the markers

read, "James McNutt, born Jan. 24, 1773, died Aug. 10, 1851" and "Our mother, Mary A.S., wife of James McNutt, born March 15, 1790, died Jan. 8, 1874. Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God". (SEE McNUTT FAMILY).

4. Eliza Fisher Morton; m. Rev. Benjamin Whary
5. John Blair Morton; m. Ann R. Bowman

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ANDERSON FAMILY

Mary Elizabeth Anderson was born 18 November 1736 and married Captain John Morton in 1750, when Mary was only fourteen years old and John was twenty. Captain John died at Clinch Mountain, now West Virginia, and is thought to be buried there. Mary is buried on the "Morton Hall" land in a cemetery with unmarked graves.

I have found several references to her father, who was Thomas Anderson. It has been stated that the Thomas Anderson that was her father was a merchant of Farmville, but Farmville was not a corporate town until many years after Mary and John married. John Morton was of Cumberland County (part of Prince Edward was taken from Cumberland) at the time of his marriage and Mary may have lived there also.

After much research, it seems as if her father was probably Thomas, son of Thomas Anderson, whose will was dated 25 Oct. 1757 and was proved 9 March 1758 in Albemarle County. The will mentions "Charles to have 400 acres of land, Gideon 300 acres, Thomas one shilling". Other children mentioned are William, David, Frances Hughes, James, Susannah Williams, Elizabeth Woodson and Agnes Leak.

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SMITH FAMILY
(FATHER OF MARY)

Mary Smith, the wife of James Morton was the daughter of WILLIAM SMITH and his wife, MARY SMITH. Smith was also her maiden name, therefore, we have two Smith families.

William, Mary's father, was the son of ROBERT SMITH of Gloucester County and died in Goochland County. Robert was the son of William Smith of Gloucester County. They probably came from the family of Colonel Lawrence Smith. Robert Smith, Mary's grandfather, had a large estate, now called "Rockcastle", in Goochland County, just opposite "Belmead" former seat of Philip St. George Cocke. In 1775 Robert was a member of the Cumberland Committee for Safety. William, Mary's father, owned "Montrose" in Powhatan County and that was their home. Mary and Major James Morton were married at Montrose.

Issue of William and Mary Smith:

1. Josiah, m. Judith Michaux Mosby

2. MARY, b. 4 July 1755 at Montrose, Powhatan County; d. 2 Feb. 1815, at Willington, Prince Edward County; m. James Morton 5 Nov. 1782 at Montrose (SEE MORTON FAMILY).
3. Ann, m. Rev. Drury Lacy
4. Judith

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SMITH FAMILY
(MOTHER OF MARY)

JOHN SMITH, the immigrant of this family, came from England and settled in Charles City County, Virginia. It is not known the name of his wife, nor can I find other children than Obadiah.

About 1700-1710, Obadiah married Mary Cocke, daughter of William Cocke. OBADIAH SMITH died in 1746 in Henrico County and his wife, MARY (COCKE) SMITH was born ca. 1690 and died in 1754 in Henrico County.

Issue of Obadiah and Mary (Cocke) Smith:
1. William
2. John
3. Obadiah
4. Jacob
5. Luke
6. Elizabeth
7. Ann
8. MARY SMITH, b. 1726; d. 1804; m. WILLIAM SMITH (SEE ABOVE SMITH FAMILY).

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COCKE FAMILY

The earliest Cocke of whom we know anything about in England was Captain William Cocke, of Plymouth, county Devon, who fitted out a ship at his own expense, and "went to fight the Spanish Armada" (1588) and was killed in the engagement. He was called "the Cock of the Game". From Prince's Worthies of Devon, as reprinted in Vol. II of Genealogies of Virginia Families, p. 113.

RICHARD COCKE
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RICHARD 1. Richard Cocke was born about 1600 and died in 1665 in Henrico County, Virginia. He was married twice, the name of his first wife is unknown; his second wife was Mary Aston (Ashton). Richard was County Commandant or Colonel of the county of Henrico; was a member of the House of Burgesses in 1632 from Weyanoake, and in 1654 from Henrico. Another member of the House of Burgesses was Walton Aston, the father of Mary, Richard's second wife.

Another member of the House of Burgesses was John Smith, who represented

Smythe's (Smith) Mount and Percyces Point, this was probably the same John Smith who was the father of Obadiah Smith who married Mary Cocke.

Richard's Will is dated 4 October 1665 and was witnessed by Henry Randolph and Henry Isham.

Issue: (It is not known which wife was the mother, inasmuch as there were children by both wives.)

1. Thomas, b. 1638 (probably by 1st wife); d. 1696; m. Margaret Jones
2. Richard (probably by 1st wife), b. 1639; d. 1706; m. Elizabeth ____.
3. John (probably by 2nd wife), b. 1647; m. Mary Davis
4. WILLIAM, b. 1655; d. 1693; m. (1) Jane Clarke in 1678; m. (2) Sarah Flower about 1689.
5. Richard, the younger, settled at "Old Man's Creek" in Charles City County
6. Elizabeth - no information

WILLIAM COCKE
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WILLIAM 2, Richard 1. William was born in 1655, probably the son of Richard's second wife, Mary Aston; and William died in 1693. In 1678 he married first, Jane Clark, daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel Daniel Clark of Charles City County, possibly the son of Captain John Clarke, a native of London, England, and the same religion as his king. Henrico Records mention a judgment against estate of Lieutenant-Colonel Daniel Clarke, late guardian of Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Cocke's orphans, for L500 sterling, 1686.

William married, second, Sarah Flower about 1689, who was of James City County. There was a Jeffrey Flower, who died in 1726, and is buried in Gloucester County, Abingdon Parish. The epitaph gives the arms of the family that are "those of Flower, of Chilton, county Wilts, Sa. a unicorn pass., or on a chief ar." The epitaph says "Here Lyeth the Body of Mr. Jeffrey Flower who departed this Life Septbr ye 2d 1726 Aged 38 Years." It is thought that this is the father of Sarah. From William and Mary, Vol. II, Series 1, p. 219.

Issue 3 children:

1. William, perhaps the son of Jane (Clarke) Cocke. If so, he was born about 1679. If the child of Sarah Flower, not born before 1690.
2. MARY, b. ca. 1690; d. 1754; m. Obadiah Smith (SEE SMITH FAMILY).
3. Elizabeth

(Mary and Elizabeth were the daughters of Sarah.)

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CHAPTER VIII

McDOWELL and REID FAMILIES

McDOWELL FAMILY

The ancestors of our McDowell family belonged to the clan of the Duke of Argyle in Scotland, but because of persecution during the reign of Charles I, they crossed over to the counties of Ulster and Londonderry, in Ireland, our branch coming from Ulster.

"Early in September, 1737, a little party of homeseekers were in camp on Linville Creek in what is now Rockingham County, Virginia. They were journeying by the trail that was sometimes called the Indian Road, and sometimes the Pennsylvania Road. In the company were Ephraim McDowell, a man now past the meridian of life, his son John, and a son-in-law, James Greenlee. The younger men were accompanied by their families. It is rather probable that a few other persons were in the party, especially one or more indentured servants. The destination they had in view was South River....The McDowells had come from Ulster in the good ship, George and Ann, landing at Philadelphia, September 4, 1729, after being on the Atlantic 118 days.

"John Lewis, a kinsman to the McDowells, had founded in 1732 the nucleus of the Augusta (Virginia) settlement, and by this time several hundred of the Ulster people had located around him....Soon after the McDowells had established their camp on Linville Creek, a man named Benjamin Borden came along and arranged to spend the night with them. He told them he had a grant of 100,000 acres on the waters of the James, if he could ever find it. To the man who could show him the boundaries he would give 1,000 acres. John McDowell replied that he was a surveyor and would accept the offer. McDowell showed his surveying instruments and Borden his papers. Each party was satisfied...." A History of Rockbridge County, Virginia, p. 21, 22,by Oren F. Morton.

A formal contract, dated Sept. 19, 1737, was signed by Benjamin Borden and Borden and John McDowell proceeded. When they reached the boundaries within the grant, John McDowell built a cabin. This was the first white man's settlement in the Borden Tract. Previously the McDowells had not heard of this grant.

Borden remained on this grant approximately two years. When Borden returned to his home near Winchester, he left his papers with John McDowell, and many prospectors came to be shown parcels of land they thought of buying. Several years later Benjamin Borden, Sr. died. There does not seem to be any definite reason why Benjamin Borden, Sr. had secured so large a tract of land. Benjamin Borden, Jr., during the administration of the estate, told Samuel McDowell, son of John, that the estate was much in debt.

The Governor of Virginia, concurring with the Council, could grant a huge block of land to an individual, or a group of men acting as a company, the theory to

settle within a stated time a minimum number of families on the tract. Many did so and the frontier was pushed too rapidly for safety. Several men did the surveying, one being John McDowell. Some complaints were that land was purchased before surveys, some people squatted in the grant, some said parcels of land passed from hand to hand without a deed. This may be one explanation as to why some names of settlers do not appear in the deeds issued by the Bordens. On Page 348, A History of Rockbridge County, it is stated that James McNutt and his brother, Alexander, were some of the first settlers on this Borden tract, James with 185 acres and Alexander with 301 acres. (SEE McNUTT FAMILY).

In 1742 Benjamin Borden, Jr. visited the Borden tract; one year later when he returned both his father and John McDowell were dead. Benjamin Borden, Jr., in 1744 married the widow of John McDowell, whose maiden name was Magdalena Woods. In April 1753, Benjamin Borden, Jr. died of smallpox. That spring the disease was epidemic, his three daughters, his brother, Joseph, the children of John McDowell all had the disease, and one or two of the Borden children died.

Many years later, Judge Samuel McDowell, son of John McDowell, gave an account of the death of his father. During a clash between the settlers and the Indians near the mouth of the North River, on December 18, 1742, when the Judge was only seven years old, he remembered the sight of the lifeless body of his father and other men who had been killed brought to Timber Ridge for burial. Thirty three Iroquois came into the Borden tract on their way to fight the Catawbas, and gave some settlers trouble. They went down the river, camped for seven or eight days, hunted, took what they wanted, scared the women, shot horses. Colonel Patton ordered McDowell to call out his militia company and conduct the Indians beyond the settled area. About thirty-four men went to help, meanwhile, the Iroquois moved farther southward, the Indians were overtaken and conducted beyond the farthest settlers. One lame Indian fell behind and all but one of the militia passed him. This man fired on the native as he went into the woods, the native raised the war-cry and the fight began. The Indians finally took to the Blue Ridge and followed it to the Potomac. Seventeen white men were killed, several others died on the way, and only ten arrived back home.

In a walled cemetery on the McDowell property today, in Rockbridge County, several miles north of Lexington, lies John McDowell and seven others that were killed that day in 1742. There is a large monument erected to their memory. On the side of the Highway in front of the cemetery is a Virginia State Marker with "A43" at the top and it reads, "McDOWELL'S GRAVE -- in this cemetery are the bodies of Captain John McDowell and seven companions, who were killed by Indians near Balcony Falls, December 14, 1742. This fight began a war that lasted until 1744."

EPHRAIM McDOWELL
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EPHRAIM McDOWELL. Ephraim came into Rockbridge County, with his family, and settled on the Borden grant. They had come from Ulster, in Ireland, on the George and Ann, arriving September 4, 1729, in Philadelphia, after a voyage on the Atlantic of 118 days. Even in those days of sailing vessels, this was a long voyage. Pennsylvania was a temporary home, and they moved into Virginia, and on later to the Borden tract.

Ephraim was born in 1672 and was at the famous siege of Londonderry in 1689. He was past the prime of life when he came to Rockbridge County, yet he lived to be over 100 years of age, but the exact date of his death has not been found. From Virkus' Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy, Vol. I, p.984, we find that Ephraim's wife was Margaret Irvine, daughter of James and Mary (Wylie) Irvine, born in 1672. This is the only mention that I have found of his wife. She may have died before they came to Rockbridge because the History of Rockbridge County says that he had two sons and two daughters, but no mention of his wife, nor have I been able to account for but one daughter.

Issue:
1. JOHN, first wife's name not known; m. (2) Magdalena Woods
2. James
3. Mary Elizabeth, m. James Greenlee; b. 17 Nov. 1707; d. 14 March 1809

JOHN McDOWELL
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JOHN 2, Ephraim 1. John, son of Ephraim and Margaret (Irvine) McDowell, came to Rockbridge with his father, and he brought his two sons, but no mention is made of his wife. The children of his first marriage were Samuel and James. However, not long after he came to Rockbridge he married Magdalena Woods. John was killed by Indians, as mentioned above, and his gravestone in the family burial ground states:

"Hier Lyes The body of
John Mack Dowell
Deced Decembe 1743"

The stone is incorrect since it was 1742, but the stone could not have been erected until 1743.

Issue, by 1st wife:
1. SAMUEL, b. 7 Nov. 1735; d. 25 Oct. 1817; m. 17 Jan. 1754 Mary McClung
2. James

Issue, by 2nd wife:
3. Martha, m. George Moffett

SAMUEL McDOWELL
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SAMUEL 3, John 2, Ephraim 1. Samuel, son of John McDowell and his first wife, was born 7 Nov. 1735 in Pennsylvania. He was two years old when his father brought him to Timber Ridge in the fall of 1737. He grew up in Rockbridge County, Va. and died near Danville, Kentucky 25 Oct. 1817. On 17 Jan. 1754 he married Mary McClung who was a native of Ireland, but of Scotch descent. Both Mary and Samuel were eighteen years of age when they married.

When Samuel was a boy, the children of the community were usually instructed by a person in the area whose own education was such as to teach others. Archibald

Alexander, who was liberally educated in Ireland, was a scholar and it was his knowledge that was used to instruct the children of that community, and among the students of Mr. Alexander was Samuel McDowell. Samuel never had a classical or collegiate education.

Samuel McDowell had frequent encounters with Indians and later was in the French and Indian wars. He took part, with General George Washington in the campaign of the Monongahela valley in 1755. He was a member of the House of Burgesses from Augusta County for some years, and when he returned home from the House of Burgesses in 1775, he erected a liberty pole in his yard. Next May he and his colleague, Thomas Lewis, bore to the state capital the first official expression touching the matter of the independence of the colony. He fought in the Revolutionary War, was captain of an independent company of rangers at the battle of Point Pleasant in 1777. In 1775-6 he was one of two representatives from Augusta in the State Convention. In 1777 he became a citizen of Rockbridge County when it was formed from Augusta, his home being there. In 1781 he commanded the battalion of Rockbridge militia at the battle of Guilford. In June, 1781 he was sworn in, at Staunton, as a member of the Governor's Council, Governor Nelson qualifying on the same day at the same place.

In 1783, at the close of the Revolutionary War, he and his wife and nine younger children moved from Rockbridge County to Kentucky. He left two daughters, already married, in Rockbridge County; Magdalena was the wife of Andrew Reid, first clerk of Rockbridge County Court; and Sally, the first wife of Caleb Wallace, who was first a Presbyterian minister, then lawyer, later a judge of the Supreme Court of Kentucky.

Samuel was one of the three judges of the First Kentucky Court, president of nine conventions which met at Danville between December 27, 1784 and July 26, 1790. He was president of the convention of 1792 which framed the first constitution of the state of Kentucky. He was one of the first circuit court judges and one of the first district judges of the new state appointed by Isaac Shelby, the first governor of Kentucky.

"Through the troublous and unsettled period of Kentucky he was the central figure of a historical group conspicuous for courage, intelligence, fortitude, dignity of character and mental poise; in those deliberative bodies which shaped the policy of the state, established its legislative, executive and judicial departments and fused into it those elements which give it stability and force, placing it among the foremost of the nation, Colonel McDowell was an important factor....in all the positions that he occupied he acquitted himself with credit and honor and was highly respected for his strong sense of right, his unbending integrity, his spotless character and his simplicity of manner. He lived to see the commonwealth, which he had done so much to create, a powerful factor in the confederacy of independent states." The Lawyers and Lawmakers of Kentucky by H. Levin, p. 502-504.

Samuel McDowell died 25 October 1817, near Danville, Kentucky in what is now Mercer County. He was first buried in McDowell Park, later moved to Belleview Cemetery, Danville.

This is the ancestor I chose to use to join the National Society of the United States Daughters of 1812, my national number is 24251.

Issue 11 children - even though I can only account for 7:

1. MAGDALENA, m. Andrew Reid (SEE REID FAMILY)
2. Sally, m. Caleb Wallace
3. John, in war of 1812.
4. James, Colonel in Revolution and War of 1812
5. William, became a Lawyer
6. Ephraim, became a distinguished physician.
7. Samuel, Jr. served under Marquis de LaFayette in Revolution, appointed by President Washington as first U. S. Marshall in the district of Kentucky in 1789.

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REID FAMILY

ANDREW REID
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Andrew 1. Our immigrant Reid ancestor was Andrew Reid, who came with his family and two brothers, Thomas and John, and their families, from County Down, Ireland when the second Andrew Reid was 14 years old. They were among the early settlers of old Albemarle County, Va., having first settled in Octoraro, about 18 miles from Lancaster, Pa., where the Shawnee Indians were their neighbors. They afterward moved to Virginia, some settling in Augusta and some in Albemarle counties. The Will of the first Andrew, the immigrant, was dated January 30, 1748, was recorded in Albemarle County May 14, 1751.

ANDREW REID
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ANDREW 2, Andrew 1. Andrew, the son of the immigrant, Andrew, was 14 years old when he came to America. He married his first cousin, Sarah Reid, who was the daughter of John Reid, the first Andrew's brother. Andrew 2 died 20 Sept. 1765. Sarah (daughter of John and wife of the second Andrew) was murdered in old Amherst County about 1765, by a negro man while on her way to a neighbor's. On July 3, 1764, his Majesty's commission of oyer and terminer was produced for the trial of Peter, a negro man belonging to Andrew Reid. The commission was made up of William Cabell, Jr., presiding justice of the peace, David Crawford, Daniel Burford, Cornelius Thomas, John Rose, and Zacharias Talliaferro, Gentlemen. John Harvie, the king's attorney, informed the court that Peter, a negro man, with force and arms had feloniously murdered Sarah Reid. Peter was led to the bar by James Nevill, the sheriff. He confessed his guilt, and said he had nothing further to say and was condemned to be hung. From The Cabells and Their Kin by Alexander Brown, p. 598.

From The Abridged Compensium of American Genealogy by Frederick Adams Virkus, Vol. III, p. 460, we find The first Andrew Reid came from the North of Ireland to Pennsylvania and settled in Nelson County. His son, the second Andrew married his cousin, ca. 1740, Sarah Reid, daughter of John and Sarah (Nisbet) Reid. He died in 1765.

Andrew settled on Rockfish Creek, near Rockfish Gap, in Amherst County, Va. He made his Will there and it is recorded in Book 1, page 67, and his inventory on page 80, of The Wills of Amherst County, Virginia 1761-1865 by The Rev. Bailey Fulton Davis. Andrew died 20 Sept. 1765, will recorded 7 Oct. 1765, inventory recorded 4 Aug. 1766. He mentions his six children:

1. Martha
2. Agnes
3. Florence
4. Sarah
5. ANDREW, b. 13 Feb. 1751; d. Oct. 1837; m. Magdalene McDowell (See McDowell FAMILY).
6. Esher

ANDREW REID
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ANDREW 3, Andrew 2, Andrew 1. Andrew 3, was born 13 February 1751 and died in October 1837. He married Magdalene McDowell, daughter of Samuel and Mary (McClung) McDowell, and lived in that portion of Rockbridge County, Virginia that had been a part of Augusta County. From A History of Rockbridge County by Oren F. Morton, p.81, we find, "First Court at the home of Samuel Wallace, April 7, 1778....Justices present....Samuel McDowell....Archibald Alexander qualified as sheriff, Andrew Reid as Clerk...."

From page 271, "Andrew Reid, of Mulberry Hill, married Magdalene, daughter of Samuel McDowell, and had three sons and eight daughters. He was the first clerk of Rockbridge." From History of Augusta County, Virginia by J. Lewis Peyton, p.342, "Mr. Andrew Reid had served under Col. Charles Lewis in 1774 and was actively engaged in the battle of Point Pleasant." According to Annals of Augusta County by Jos. A. Waddell, p. 122, "....in 1783, Samuel McDowell removed to Kentucky with his wife and nine younger children, leaving two married daughters in Virginia. One of these daughters was the wife of Andrew Reid, the first clerk of Rockbridge County Court...." (SEE McDOWELL FAMILY).

Issue 11 children:

1. Magdalena
2. Ann A.
3. Sally, m. Andrew Moore, 31 Mar. 1795
4. Elizabeth, m. John Alexander, 14 Nov. 1815
5. Alexander
6. Andrew
7. Margaret M., m. William H. Venable, 2 Oct. 1823
8. Mary (Polly) m. John Campbell, 31 May 1806
9. Samuel, b. 1790; d. 1869; m. Sarah E. Hare.
10. JANE, m. Samuel Woodson Venable, Jr. 14 Feb. 1821 (SEE VENABLE FAMILY).
11. Martha M., m. Abraham Smith, 12 June 1823.

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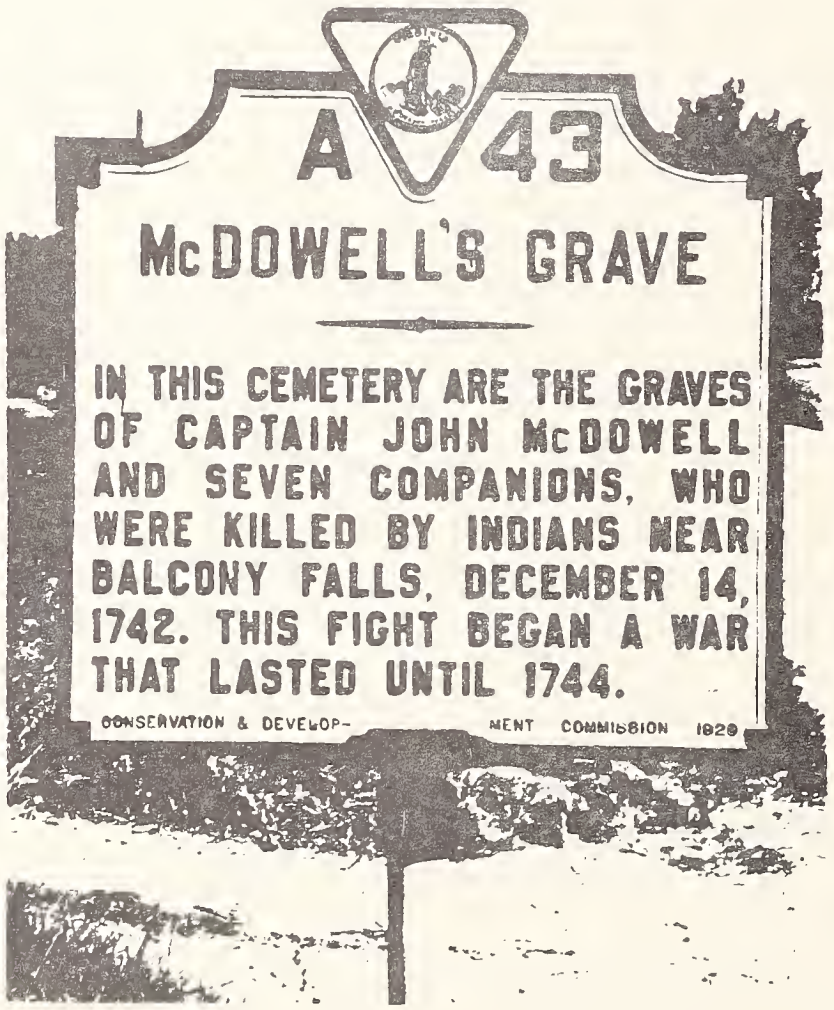

Virginia State Road Marker on U.S. Hwy. 11 north of Lexington, Virginia "A43".

CHAPTER IX

WOODSON, FERRIS and MICHAUX FAMILIES

WOODSON FAMILY

JOHN WOODSON
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JOHN 1. Dr. John Woodson was born in 1586 in Devonshire, England and died in 1644 in Virginia. He attended St. John's College in England in 1604. He later married Sarah Winston in England. They came to Virginia in 1619 (Hotten's Emigrants to Virginia) on the ship George, sailing on 29 January 1619. John was a doctor and surgeon and served in this capacity aboard the George. Most of the ship's passengers were soldiers being sent over for better protection of the settlers. Among other passengers were Gov. Yeardley and his wife, Temperance. There is listed in Adventures of Purse and Person, Virginia 1607-1625, p.21, compiled and edited by Annie Lash Jester, "The Muster of John Woodson, Sarah, his wife, in the George, 1619, corne, 4 bu., Powder, 1 lb., Lead, 3 lb., Sword, 1, Peece Fixt. 1 (a gun)" On 16 April 1619 the George arrived at Jamestown, Virginia. The next mention of John that is found is in 1620 when he bought "6 negars" that were among the first slaves brought into Virginia.

John was on the register of settlers of Fleiu De Hundred in 1623. It was on the south side of the James River about 30 miles above Jamestown. This section is now in Prince George County. In 1612 Governor Thomas Dale had established little towns, extended out and beyond the already explored areas near the James. They were called "Hundreds". Sir George Yeardley had originally come to Virginia in 1609 with Sir Thomas Gates and George Yeardley received a grant of 1000 acres of land on the James River and named the place Flowerdew, or Fleurde, Hundred in honor of his wife, the former Temperance Flowerdew. He built the first windmill in America and this point bears the name of Windmill Point today. In 1635 Abraham Piersy bought Flowerdew from Gov. Yeardley, and in that year the patent was entered for "Floeu deue Hundred". This was the first deed for land recorded in America. (Old Houses Along the James by Farrar). This land was often referred to as Piersey's Hundred. Governor Yeardley must have persuaded the Woodsons to live at Flowerdew Hundred and was probably happy to have him there as a doctor.

Opechankano, the Indian chief, led a sudden attack on the Virginia settlements on 18 April 1644, killing 300 settlers. The second day of the massacre Dr. John was returning home from a visit to a patient and was killed within sight of his house. Mr. Ligon, a shoemaker, who happened to be at the home, and Sara Woodson defended the house courageously. They hid the two Woodson boys at the first alarm. John was hidden under a wash tub and Robert in a potato hole. Ligon grabbed the old family gun and killed seven Indians at the first fire and two at the seventh. Two Indians came down the chimney into the crude log cabin. Sara scalded one with a pot of boiling water and, seizing the roasting spit,

she brained the other. The howling mob took flight. The two sons were thereafter called "Potato Hole" and "Tub" Woodson.

This story is recounted in Genealogies of Virginia Families, Vol. IV,p.175; also in The Woodsons and Their Connection, compiled by Henry Morton Woodson, 1915, p.21-22.

It has always been thought that when the massacre of 1644 took place the Woodsons were living at Flower dew Hundred, however, it has recently come to light that possibly the Woodsons had already left Flower dew Hundred and moved into Henrico County, or some other area. History records that 300 settlers were killed in settlements along the James during the massacre of 1644. At Flower dew Hundred, during the Indian uprising of 1644, there were no residents recorded as being killed. However, we know that this massacre did occur, and that Dr. John Woodson was killed - but where? The shoemaker, who is credited with the shooting of nine Indians the day of the massacre, was probably measuring the family for shoes, for at that time, shoemakers went to plantations and settlements measuring, then returned later with the finished shoes.

The gun that was used is today at the Virginia Historical Society in Richmond and when I was there in May, 1988 it was brought upstairs to the library for me to see - and handle, with gloves! It is about seven and a half feet long and is quite heavy. The make of the gun was encircled by a scroll on the barrel of the gun and it appeared to be OLLICOT. For a gun of that age, it is in remarkably good condition.

Sir George Yeardley sold the plantation of Flower dew Hundred to Abraham Peirsey in 1623. Peirsey was a merchant-planter who, after Gov. Yeardley, ranked as the second wealthiest man in Virginia. A census of the colony taken in 1625 provides some rare details about Flower dew Hundred. A total of 57 people lived on the plantation including 29 servants and 7 Negroes belonging to Peirsey. Other residents included six married men, their families and servants, three single men, and a minister. There were 12 dwelling houses, 3 store houses, 4 tobacco houses and the windmill. Was one of the married men our John?

I discovered this information when I visited Flower dew Hundred in May, 1988 where archaeological digs are now taking place. Over 60 archaeological sites, dating from prehistoric times to the present have been discovered. Indian occupation, revealed by the discovery of projectile points, pottery and the remains of houses and villages, dated from 9,000 B.C. to the seventeenth century. At least twelve sites date from the earliest period of English settlement circa 1619-1630. Artifacts have been discovered such as armor, gun parts, leather goods, pottery, tools, glass beads, and tobacco pipes. Today Flower dew Hundred has a reconstructed windmill and a museum showing the unearthed items. It has now been placed on the National Register of Historic Places and the Virginia Historic Landmarks Register and is open to the public, located on the south side of the James River several miles off Route 10.

Issue of John and Sara:

1. John "Tub"
2. Robert "Potato Hole"

ROBERT WOODSON
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ROBERT 2, John 1. Robert, son of Dr. John and Sara (Winston) Woodson, was thought to have been born at Flower dew Hundred, Prince George County, in 1634, died ca. 1707, (Vol. VI, The Compendium of American Genealogy, First Families of America, edited by Frederick Adams Virkus) because of having been saved from the Indians by having been thrust in a hole, was known as progenitor of the "potato hole Woodsons"; was Colonel of Militia; married ca. 1656, Elizabeth Ferris, daughter of Richard Ferris of "Curles Neck", Henrico County, Va.

Issue 6 children:
1. John; m. Judith Tarleton
2. Robert, lived in Henrico County
3. RICHARD, b. about 1662; d. 1716; m. Ann Smith (SEE SMITH FAMILY)
4. Joseph; m. Mary Woodson, daughter of John Woodson
5. Benjamin
6. Elizabeth, m. William Lewis

RICHARD WOODSON
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RICHARD 3, Robert 2, John 1. Richard, son of Robert and Elizabeth (Ferris) Woodson, was born about 1662 and died in 1716, married Ann Smith, probably the daughter of the first Obadiah and the granddaughter of John Smith (SEE SMITH FAMILY). Richard and Ann lived at "Curles" in Henrico County. Richard must have died in 1716 inasmuch as his brother, Robert, on 4 March 1716 deeded to his "loving nephews Obadiah Woodson, John Woodson and Joseph Woodson, sons of Richard Woodson dec'd, 498 acres (Henrico) being the third part of a patent granted to said Robert Woodson, dated 23 December 1714." Adventures of Purse and Person, p. 371

Issue 8 children:
1. RICHARD, b. Henrico County, ca. 1705/6; m. Ann Madeline Michaux (SEE MICHAUX FAMILY)
2. John, b. 1697; m. Elizabeth Anderson
3. ELIZABETH, b. 1699; m. Thomas Morton (SEE MORTON FAMILY)
4. Judith, b. 1703; m. Jacob Michaux
5. Mary, b. 1707; m. Richard Truman
6. Joseph, no information
7. Agnes, b. 1711; m. Joseph Morton
8. Obadiah, b. 1712; m. Constance Watkins

RICHARD WOODSON
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RICHARD 4, Richard 3, Robert 2, John 1. Richard, son of Richard and Ann (Smith) Woodson, was born in Henrico County, Virginia. Richard, Jr.'s birth has been shown in a number of books as "about 1690", however, that does not seem to be

possible. He did not marry the first Anne Michaux, who was born in 1693, but Ann Madeline, who was born in 1710/11. It is stated in Vol. IV, Genealogies of Virginia Families, p. 329, "Ann Woodson, widow of Richard Woodson, in Aug. 1722, mother of Richard Woodson, who married Ann Madeline Michaux, petitioned the Justices of Henrico County to exempt her son, Richard, until he be 21 years of age. The law at that time was that all males of the age of 16 should be declared tithable, or chargeable for defraying the public, country and parish charges....except such only, as the county court, and vestry, for reasons, in charity, made appear to them, shall think fit to excuse," Minutes of Court of Henrico, Aug. 1722, p. 199. This would seem that Richard was probably born about 1705/6.

Richard, Jr. married Ann Madeline Michaux, daughter of Abraham Michaux and his wife, Susanne (Rochet), the Huguenot refugees. (SEE MICHAUX FAMILY). Ann Madeline died in 1796 at age 86. Richard, Jr. was known as "Baron" Richard Woodson of "Poplar Hill" in Goochland County, Virginia because he was a large land owner. Richard and Ann Madeline are buried in the family cemetery at "Poplar Hill".

Richard's Will was dated "....this twenty-first day of Sept. in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy, presented in Court and proved by Elizabeth Cunningham and Susannah Cunningham, Witnesses, on the Motion of Nathaniel Venable and Francis Watkins, the Executors." The Will mentions Ann, his wife, and daughters, Agnes Watkins, wife of Francis Watkins, and Elizabeth Venable, his daughter. This was proved at the Court held for Prince Edward County, Va., January, 1775.

I have found information that there were several children, however, all but two apparently died in infancy or early childhood. Only two have been named.

Issue:

1. ELIZABETH, b. 6 June 1740; d. 27 Sept. 1791; m. 29 Mar. 1755, Nathaniel Venable (SEE VENABLE FAMILY). Both Elizabeth and Nathaniel are buried at "Slate Hill" in Prince Edward County, Va. The Marriage Bond for Elizabeth and Nathaniel is on file at the Prince Edward County Court House in Farmville, Va. It is dated 24th day of March 1755, signed by Nathaniel Venable and Abraham Venable, Jr. I have a copy of this Marriage Bond; also have visited the "Slate Hill" Cemetery where they are buried.
2. Agnes, b. 4 Oct. 1748 at Poplar Hill; d. July 1820 at Poplar Hill; m. 11 June 1765, Francis Watkins; both are buried at Poplar Hill.

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FERRIS FAMILY

Elizabeth Ferris, who married Robert Woodson, was the daughter of Richard Ferris and the granddaughter of Nicholas Ferris who came to Virginia in 1619. The family was originally from Leistershire, England and they were descendants of Henri de Ferriers, of Gascony, Master of Hounds to the Duke of Normandy.

Genealogies of Virginia Families, Vol. IV, p. 175, states, "There is a grant of land, 21 October 1687 to Mr. Robert Woodson, Mr. Richard Ferris, Mr. Giles Carter, William Ferris and Roger Comins for 1,785 acres, in Henrico County, White Oak Swamp, on north side of James River, in the parish of "Varina", for transporting 36 persons". Patent Book 7. The Ferris family lived on this plantation, called "Curles".

In the Seventeenth Century the Ferris family intermarried with the Lawrence Washington family, progenitors of George Washington.

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MICHAUX FAMILY

ABRAHAM MICHAUX was born in the City of Cedent (Sedan) France in 1672, baptized 23 Feb. 1672, was the first child of Jacob Michaux and his second wife, Anne Severin. Abraham died in Henrico County, Virginia in 1717. His Will was recorded by order of Court on 5 August 1717. He was only 45 years old when he died. He married Susanna Rochet, 13 July 1692, in the French Church in Amsterdam, Holland. Susanna was born in Sedan, France and baptized 13 April 1667.

The story of the "Little Nightcap" is the story of Susanna's escape from France to Holland, is a true well-known story in this family, and although handed down from each generation, the original story is written in the Bible of Abraham Michaux which is now at the Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, Virginia.

After the Revocation of the Edict of Nantes in 1685, Jean Rochet tried to get his youngest daughter, Susanna, to Amsterdam, Holland, where many refugees had fled to escape persecution and death. Among the refugees already in Holland were two of his daughters, who had been kindly received by Christian friends. They wrote their father to send their little sister to them, but fearing that their letters might fall into the hands of enemies of the Huguenots, they asked him to send the little nightcap they had left behind. After several unsuccessful attempts to get little Susanna out of France, her father arranged to have her shipped in a large cask, or hogshead, which was entrusted to a friendly sea-captain, who had the cask placed on board his ship. When they had sailed and were safely past the guards who were posted on vessels in the harbor, the cask was opened and Susanna was lifted out of her narrow, dark chamber, and brought safely to Amsterdam, where her sisters received her with great joy. Genealogies of Virginia Families, Vol. IV, p.318.

The above mentioned Bible was sent to the family of Abraham Michaux by his parents, who thought that there were no Bibles in the new settlements of America. It is said to have been printed in 1657 in England.

Abraham was the nephew of the celebrated M. James Saurin, minister of the French Church at Savoy, in the Strand, London, in the year 1703. A prayer book was sent to Abraham, with this note in French inscribed on a blank page, "M. Suarin, minister, has sent this Book of Common Prayer to his nephew, Abraham Michaux, in

Virginia". In 1857 this was presented by N. F. Cabell, Esq. through Bishop Meade, to the Theological Seminary at Alexandria.

Genealogical data regarding Abraham and Susanne was sent years later to relatives in America:

1. Abraham Michaux, born 1608, died 1666/67; of Sedan, France; married Marie Godin, born 1610, died Sept. 24, 1672. Their son,
2. Jacob Michaux, born January 22, 1644; married (2) on July 28, 1669, Anne Severin, born January 26, 1649. He was of Sedan France, Their son,
3. Abraham Michaux, born 1672 in Sedan; died 1717 in Virginia; married in the French Church, Amsterdam, Holland, on July 13, 1692. Susanne Rochet, baptized, Apr. 13, 1667, died ante Dec. 1744 in Va.

1. Nicholas Severin, pastor of a refugee church at Ludweiler near Searlouis (Palatinate) married Suzanne Charlot, Their son,
2. Paul Severin, born 1615 at Ludweiler, merchant at Sedan, married on Nov. 16, 1636, Elizabeth de Serignon, daughter of Jean de Serignon, "bourgeois de Sedan", and his wife, Anne Martin. Their daughter,
3. Anne Severin, born Jan. 26, 1649, married July 1669, Jacob Michaux.

1. Thomas Rochet, brewer, died ante February 7, 1638, married Marguerite Beauciel, Their son,
2. Thiery Rochet, born 1615, died Dec. 31, 1649; married Feb. 7, 1638, Susanne Rondeau, widow of ____Cheneau. (Their home was at Sedan,Place de la Halle, now called "Maison Perot de Mazieres".) Thiery Rochet was of Sedan. Their son,
3. Jean Rochet, of Sedan, married Dec. 1, 1644, Marie Trufet, widow of Antoine Poirie. Their daughter,
4. Suzanne Rochet, baptized April 13, 1667. (She was named after her grandmother and godmother, Susanne Rondeau.) Susanne married Abraham Michaux.

From Pages 319-331, Vol. IV, Genealogies of Virginia Families.

Before Suzanne Rochet, daughter of Jean, was married in Amsterdam in 1692 to Abraham Michaux, her younger sister, Jeanne, had been married in London, Sept. 9, 1689, at the church of the French and Walloon refugees, called "Les Grecs" with Jacques Truffet, probably a relative of the first wife of Jean Rochet. It may be supposed that Jeanne Rochet wanted her sister to settle in London, because later Suanna and Abraham did go to London.

Abraham Michaux had been inscribed a Member of the French Church in Amsterdam, 28th Jan. 1691. He married Susanne there 13th July 1692. Four of their children were baptized in Amsterdam; Anne, on 7 May 1693; Jean 3 Jan. 1697; Isaac 28 June 1699; Jacques 15 Aug. 1700. They left Amsterdam and went to London 8 Mar. 1701. Susanne became a member of the Huguenot church of Threadneedle Street, London, August 20, 1702.

The family of Abraham Michaux came to America in the early 1700's and settled at Manakintowne (today just a few miles west of Richmond) in 1705 in the French

settlement. On Nov. 2 of that year he obtained a patent of 574 acres on the south side of the James River, on both sides of Lower Manakintowne Creek; on April 1, 1707 "Abraham Michaux of King William Parish and Henrico County" sold 574 acres to Rane Laforce "as by patent 2 Nov. 1705", witnesses to the deed being Joseph Pleasants and John Cox. Henrico Records 1706-1709, p. 29.

On Jan. 27, 1713 Abraham Michaux was granted a patent of 850 acres of land on the south side of the James River, in the County of Henrico "in consideration of the importation of nine persons, to dwell within our Colony of Virginia." Henrico Land Book 10, p. 123.

On March 23, 1715 he received a patent of 230 acres on the South side of the James River, in the County of Henrico. Henrico Land Book 19, p. 284.

Two years after this last entry, Abraham died, leaving his family a good estate. Susanne lived to the old age of 86. She made her Will 22nd day of March 1740, but she did not die in 1740. Her Will was recorded in Goochland County December 17, 1744.

There have been several variations of the children of Susanne and Abraham, probably part of the problem was two Annes, but it is believed that the following children are correct:

1. Anne, b. 1693 in Holland
2. Jean (or Jane Magdalene), b. 1697 in Holland; m. Peter Legrand
3. Isaac, b. 1699 in Holland; no further record
4. Jacques (James), b 1700 in Holland
5. Jacob, m. Judith Woodson, daughter of Richard and Ann Woodson
6. John
7. Paul (sometimes John Paul), had no children
8. Abraham, killed by Indians
9. Susane, m. John Quinn
10. Olive Judi, m. Anthony Morgan
11. Elizabeth, m. Sanborn Woodson
12. ANN MADELINE, b. in Virginia, probably 1710/11; m. Richard Woodson (SEE WOODSON FAMILY)
13. Easter Mary, m. Alexander Cunningham

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9. Visit to Flower dew Hundred
10. Visit to Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, to see Woodson gun.

CHAPTER X

CARRINGTON FAMILY

The Carrington family were first heard of in the Kingdom of Ireland, they went then to England, and one of them by the name of Paul emigrated to the island of Barbados and settled in Bridgetown.

Information that I have found regarding the Barbados Carrington family comes from the Genealogies of Barbados Families compiled by James C. Brandow, and states, "Paul C. (Doctor) of St. Philip's. Will proved 16 December 1724. By common fame testator perished at sea eight years before 17 November 1724. Daus.: Sarah, Elizabeth, Ann, Mary, Hannah. Sons: Nathaniel, Paul, Codrington, Robert and John (twins), George, Joseph, Edward. Wife Heningham."

Dr. Paul Carrington was the second son of a Paul Carrington who died in Barbados in 1666. Dr. Paul himself was born in Barbados about 1665 and was the founder of the St. Philip (Parish) branch of the family. His estate, known as "Carrington" was purchased not later than 1707.

Dr. Paul is described as a doctor, but no record can be found of where he acquired his medical qualifications and there is no record of his ever having practiced. It is known that he was a successful merchant, trading with North America and England. He seems to have paid visits on several occasions to both of these countries. It was probably on one of these voyages that his ship went down and he died at sea. He was obviously well off, but never a member of the Council or House of Assembly. He was, however, described as a respected member of the community,

In May, 1687 Dr. Paul married Thomazin Waterland of St. Philip. It is possible that Sarah, Elizabeth, Ann and Mary were children of Dr. Paul and Thomazin. Thomazin, in her Will, proved 14 July 1727, names Sarah as her daughter. Some of Thomazin's children were by Richard Perryman but he had married Ann Haynes in 1678 and there is no record of a divorce and Ann did not die until 1712. There is also no record of a marriage between Thomazin and Richard.

In Barbados there was no divorce until 1935 except by Act of Parliament and after 1773 the Governor was forbidden by his instructions to assent to any such Act without the permission of the Crown. There is no record of a private Divorce Act in Barbados. In 1701 a petition of Dr. Paul Carrington was submitted to the Barbados House of Assembly, but was held over for consideration until the next season. "The title of the Barbados Act of 1706 makes it clear that it was not a Divorce Act to declare the marriage of Dr. Paul and Thomazin null and void; in other words, declaring that there was never a legal marriage." Genealogies of Barbados Families, p. 211. There seems to be a question as to how Dr. Paul managed to get an Act passed to annul his marriage to Thomazin. No marriage record has been found of Dr. Paul and Heningham, but they could have been married in another parish; however, the marriage registers for this period for some parishes are no longer available. However, in the Will of Dr. Paul he mentions his wife, Mrs. Heningham Carrington. Also, on her tombstone in the churchyard of St. Philip's is the following inscription:

"Here lyeth the Body of Heningham Carrington, Widow of Paul Carrington, who died January the 28 day 1744, age 69 Years."

In her Will, Heningham names as children "all the survivors of the nine boys and a girl whom she bore to Dr. Paul between 1702 and 1715." These children were Nathaniel, Hannah, Paul, Codrington, John, Robert, William, George, Joseph, and Edward. William must have died young since he is not named in Dr. Paul's Will. Heningham refers to Elizabeth, Ann and Mary in her Will as stepdaughters. These three girls were brought up in the household of Dr. Paul and Heningham, as recorded in the 1715 Barbados Census.

I have found two dates for the birth of Heningham Codrington, 1671 and 1676. Also, from Genealogies of Barbados Families "....she may have been descended from Robert Codrington of Didmarton, who married Heningham Drewrey of Norfolk, and whose son Robert was baptized in London in 1635. This son may have been the Robert Codrington who was living in Barbados with his wife, Elizabeth, in 1665. If Heningham, who was born in 1676, was their daughter - they had another daughter in 1678 - she was a distant relative of Christopher Codrington."

GEORGE CARRINGTON
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GEORGE 1. George Carrington was born in 1711, baptized at St. Philip's Church in Barbados in 1711, and was the son of Dr. Paul Carrington and his second wife, Heningham Codrington. George was only twelve years old when he came as an immigrant to Virginia with Joseph Mayo in 1723.

When George Carrington sailed from Barbados, he had with him a small Bible. It is not the traditional family Bible, but a small book, easily held in one hand, and contains within its covers both the Bible and the Prayer Book. It is thought that this small Bible was given to him by his mother when the boy left her for his new home. As far as is known, she never saw him again. From Sketches of Paul Carrington by Henry C. Riely it is stated, "It (this small Bible) has something of a history and is of deep interest to the descendants of its former owner. On one page is this inscription, 'Hic Liber Pertinet ad Georgius Carington.' The somewhat youthful handwriting and the lapses from strict accuracy here have invoked the fancy that the book was a gift to the boy from his mother as he left her for his far-away new home in Virginia." The Bible is now in the Virginia State Library in Richmond, under the care of the librarian, for all who may feel an interest to consult it." This Bible is now in the vault (May, 1988) at the Richmond library, and is now so old and the pages are crumbling, they no longer bring it out, but a copy of these Bible Records are available for all who are interested to see.

When the young boy, George, came to Virginia with the family of Joseph Mayo, a Barbados merchant, he lived with that family. "Mr. Mayo purchased and occupied the ancient seat of Powhatan, near the Falls of Jamestown. Young Carrington lived for some years with Mr. Mayo as his storekeeper. About 1732, when in his twenty-first year, he married Anne, the eldest daughter of William Mayo, brother of Joseph, who had settled in Goochland." From Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia by Bishop Meade, Vol. II, p. 29.

Anne Mayo was born in 1712, on the island of Barbados, the daughter of Major William Mayo and his wife, Frances (Gould). Anne and George made their home at "Boston Hill" in Goochland County, later Cumberland County, on the Willis River. They remained there for the rest of their lives.

George became a man of wealth and prominence in Cumberland County, and served as Clerk of the County, was a long standing member of the House of Burgesses, first from Goochland then from Cumberland County. George died at "Boston Hill" at age 74, 7 Feb. 1785 and his wife, Anne, died 15 Feb. 1785, age 73.

From The Cabells and Their Kin by Alexander Brown, we find: The following obituary of Col. George Carrington and his wife was found in the pocketbook of their daughter, Mrs. Joseph Watkins, after her death:

> "Departed this life at their seat in Cumberland County, Monday, the 7th of February 1785, Colonel George Carrington in his 74th year; and on Tuesday the 15th his Consort, Mrs. Ann Carrington in her 73rd year; whose eminent characters in piety, patriotism, justice and benevolence are too generally known to require a particular relation. On Monday the 21st their remains were interred attended by their numerous family, whose ardent affections they had attached by a constant anxiety and care to conduct them to reputation, propriety and happiness; and a great concourse of the neighborhood and County. Whose zealous friendship and regard had grown upon the experience of their long spent lives; his, in the most faithful exercise of the offices of representative, magistrate, and many others which his country conferred on him. Hers, in doing all good she could, in acts of charity and tenderness. It is remarkable that this happy pair, who lived 53 years married, have often in their latter days been heard to wish that the same period might terminate their lives."

Ann and George are buried at "Boston Hill".

Issue - the following is an exact copy from the Bible of George Carrington, Sr. of the County of Cumberland, as entered by himself in His Family Bible. The Bible was printed in London in 1718.

1. PAUL CARRINGTON, the son of George and Anne Carrington, born ye fifth day of March 1733 between 2 and 3 oclock Tuesday morning.
2. William Carrington, the son of George and Anne Carrington, born the seventeenth day of November 1735 about one oclock Monday in the morning. (William died in infancy.)
3. George Carrington, the son of George and Anne Carrington, born the 15th of March 1737 in the night,
4. William Carrington, son of George and Anne Carrington, was born the 22 day of December 1739 between 7 and 8 Saturday night. Died 20 August 1757, age 18.
5. Joseph Carrington, the son of George and Anne Carrington, was born the sixth day of February 1741, Saturday. Died April 4th 1802, age 61 years.
6. Nathaniel Carrington, son of George and Anne Carrington, was born the twenty eighth day of February 1743 between 7 and 8 in the evening.
7. Henningham, Born 4 December 1746, between 4 and 5 in the morning on Thursday, was married 1767.
8. Edward Carrington, born the 11th of February 1748 about 11 oclock Saturday night.

9. Hannah Carrington, born the 28th March 1751, about 12 oclock Thursday, married ____Cabell 1772.
10. Mayo Carrington, born the first day of April 1753 in the night. (he died 28 Dec. 1803; m. 30 Sept. 1787 Anne Adams.)
11. Mary Carrington, born the 9th January 1759, in the night, married with Joseph Watkins 1783.

Another entry in the Bible:"George Carrington and Annie Mayo were married June 26, 1732." (See deed from Major William Mayo, father of said Annie,to George and Anne, SEE MAYO FAMILY).

Another entry, perhaps made by one of his children,"George Carrington, father of these persons, departed this life on the 7th day of February 1785, aged 74. Ann Carrington, mother of persons departed this life on the 15th day of the same month."

PAUL CARRINGTON
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PAUL 2, George 1. Paul, son of George and Anne (Mayo) Carrington, was born 5 March 1733 "between 2 and 3 o'clock Tuesday morning" according to George's Bible, at "Boston Hill"; died 23 Jan. 1818 in Charlotte County at "Mulberry Hill". Paul was twice married, first, to Margaret Read, the daughter of Col. Clement Read and his wife Mary (Hill) Read. Marriage Bond, dated 25 Sept. 1755, is on file at the Lunenburg County Court House, as seen when we were there. The marriage of Paul and Margaret took place 1 Oct. 1755 and he brought her to live at "Mulberry Hill" which was then wilderness with no landmarks except streams and rivers.

They had five children,and his beloved "Peggy" died May 16, 1766 and he left a record that "she was the best of wives and a woman of innumerable virtues." From the Cabells and Their Kin by Alexander Brown, page 223.

Paul married second, many long years after the death of "Peggy" to the sixteen year old Priscilla Sims, on 6th March 1792 when he was at the age of 58. She was the daughter of David and Lettice Sims. But Paul was to survive her many years, for she died in 1803.

Hugh Blair Grigsby offers a description of the young Paul Carrington in The Virginia Convention of 1776, p. 97, 98. (Mr. Grigsby was the husband of Mary Venable Carrington, granddaughter of Paul.)

> "About the year 1748 or 1750 a tall slim youth in the sixteenth or seventeenth year of his age, over six feet in height, with prominent features, bright blue eyes, and sandy hair, might have been seen passing on horseback by Roanoke Bridge in the county of Charlotte, then a part of Lunenburg, on his way from Cumberland through the present estates of Edgehill and Greenfield, now owned by his descendants in the second and third degree, to Bushy Forest, the seat of Col. Clement Read, the clerk of the county of Lunenburg, who then held his office, as was almost invariably the case with clerks before the Revolution and for many years subsequently, at his private residence. The youth was of English descent.....That youth was Paul Carrington."

Paul went to Charlotte County, then Lunenburg, to write in the clerk's office of Col. Clement Read and to study law under him in 1750. From The Cabells and Their Kin, p.223, "He began to practice at twenty-one, and having practiced in his county as an attorney for twelve months, he was recommended by his county court as worth, etc., and in May, 1755, he received a license to practice, signed by Peyton Randolph, John Randolph and George Wythe. He met with success in his profession from the first."

He held many offices, he was appointed king's attorney of Mecklenburg, 3 Nov. 1767; of Botetourt 4 May 1770; of Lunenburg 18 Oct. 1770; county lieutenant and presiding justice of Charlotte 11 April 1772 and clerk of Halifax County 17 Nov. 1772. He was for many years a vestryman and churchwarden of Cornwall Parish. In Wylliesburg, Va. there is a large Virginia State Library road marker, in front of the Post Office, that has "M8" at the top, and this gives his later accomplishments:

> "PAUL CARRINGTON" -- Member of House of Burgesses, 1765-1775, of Virginia Convention, 1774-1788, including Constitutional Conventions, of first Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, a Founder of Hampden-Sydney College. Lived and is buried at Mulberry Hill nearby."

It was the above sign that took us into the Post Office to inquire "where"? A nice lady gave us the directions to "Mulberry Hill", and told us to contact a lady who lived just down the road, a long-time close friend of the owner. Thus, we were able to visit "Mulberry Hill" and were priviledged to go through the house and gardens, and to visit the cemetery on the plantation where Judge Paul Carrington, his wife, Margaret, on one side and his second wife, Priscilla, on the other, are buried.

On one side of the house is a lovely garden, and in the middle of the garden is a memorial to Paul Carrington which reads:

> "In Memory of PAUL CARRINGTON, March 16, 1773, June 23, 1818, who was buried nearby on this his plantation seat of Mulberry Hill. A member of the Virginia House of Burgesses 1765-1776, the Virginia Convention of 1774, 1775, 1776 and 1788, and the committee that framed the Virginia Declaration of Rights and the Virginia Constitution of 1776, the Virginia Committee of Safety 1775-1776, the Virginia General Court 1778, 1789 and the first Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia 1789-1807. This memorial was erected by his Descendants in 1954."

The earliest deed recorded at Lunenburg Court House of Paul's purchase of land was 1 January 1756 for 687 acres from Clement Read, Sr., "situated on the upper side of little Roanoke River." Over the years much additional acreage was added to the large plantation.

The plantation today is still a working plantation, not as large as in the days of Judge Paul Carrington, for some of the acreage has been sold. Today it is owned by a descendant of Judge Paul Carrington, Mrs. Dorothy Barksdale Butler, who was brought up at Mulberry Hill.

The house today is beautiful, just like one would image it should be - it is a three story white house, with shutters at the windows, has three chimneys, one at each end of the house and one in the middle. From the back, it can be seen

that there must have been two additions, and the chimney in the middle must have been at the back of the large first addition. On the inside, larger rooms were obviously made by removing partitions from two smaller rooms. As you enter the front entry hall, there is a lovely massive old secretary desk, said to have been brought to Mulberry Hill from Bushy Forest, childhood home of Margaret Read Carrington.

On the outside are a number of small buildings, as most plantations had in those days. Among them are the smokehouse, dairy, weaving house and others, but the most interesting of these is the little white building that once was the office of Judge Paul Carrington.

He received his law license in May 1755 and it was signed by Peyton Randolph, John Randolph and George Wythe. It is recorded that he had already practiced for twelve months before his own county court, whose recommendation of him to the examiners, was a legal requirement. From Mercer's Abridgment, Laws of Virginia 1759, p. 19. Hugh Blair Grigsby, in The Virginia Convention of 1776, p. 97-105, gives much additional information regarding the career of Judge Paul Carrington.

No account of this important ancestor would be complete without the mention of his connection with Hampden-Sydney College. He was a member of the Episcopal Church from birth, but as other church denominations began to move into Virginia, the Presbyterian Church became an important factor in his life. He attended that meeting of Presbytery that was held at the home of Nathaniel Venable on 1 February 1775 that appointed Samuel Stanhope Smith, Rector of the Academy.

Judge Paul was one of the first Trustees of the Academy and continued until his death on the 22 of June 1818. "From January 1776 when he appeared before the Board to ask the privilege of building a house for the use of his sons during their college course, to his death, was a member of the Board and a warm, active most efficient friend of the College. Even in his extreme old age he attended the meetings of the Board, and it sometimes happened that he might have been seen in the midst with his sons, Col. Clement Carrington and Judge Paul Carrington, on one hand, and his son-in-law, Samuel Woodson Venable, on the other. Nor did his influence cease with his life. For I think it may be affirmed that from the opening of the Academy in January, 1776, to the present moment there has hardly been an interval of time, however small, in the life of the College, during which either the honorable office of a Trustee, or of a Professor, or of a pupil, or of an active benefactor, has not been borne by some one bearing the name or the blood of Paul Carrington, the elder." Discourse on the Lives and Characters of the Early Presidents and Trustees of Hampden-Sidney College by Hugh Blair Grigsby.

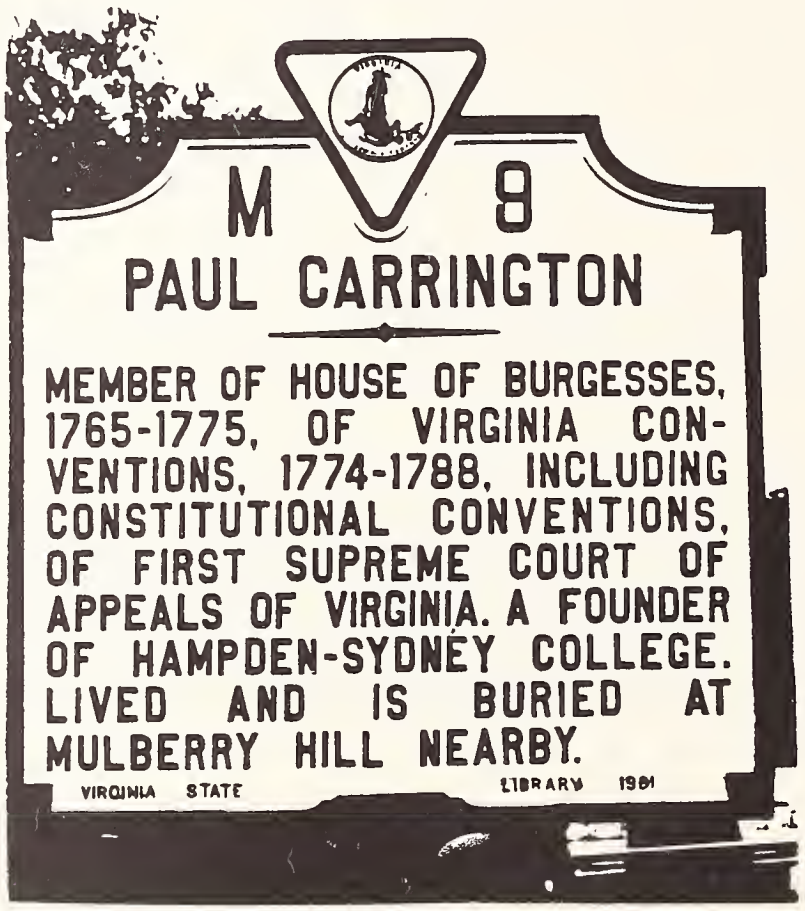
Issue 11 children:

By 1st wife, Margaret Read:

1. MARY SCOTT, b. 14 Nov. 1756, at Mulberry Hill; d. 15 May 1837 at Springfield, Prince Edward County, Va.; m. 15 Aug. 1781, Samuel Woodson Venable (SEE VENABLE FAMILY)
2. George, b. 21 June 1758; d. 27 May 1809; m. Sarah Coles Tucker
3. Anne, b. 9 July 1760; d. 1838; m. William Cabell
4. Clement, b. 26 Oct. 1762; d. 29 Nov. 1849; m. Jane Watkins Poage
5. Paul, Jr., b. 20 Sept. 1764; d. 8 Jan. 1816; m. Mildred Howell Coles

By 2nd Wife,Priscilla Sims:

6. Henry, b. 17 Sept. 1793; d. 1867; m. Louisa Elizabeth Cabell
7. A daughter, not named, b. 1 Feb. 1795; d. 6 Feb. 1795
8. A daughter, not named, b. 24 June 1797; d. 9 Sept. 1797
9. Lettice, b. 31 Aug. 1798; m. Hon. Walter Coles
10. Martha, b. 6 July 1800; d. 2 Apr. 1802
11. Robert, b. 2 Mar. 1802; m. Joanna Bouldin, moved to Ark. in 1835



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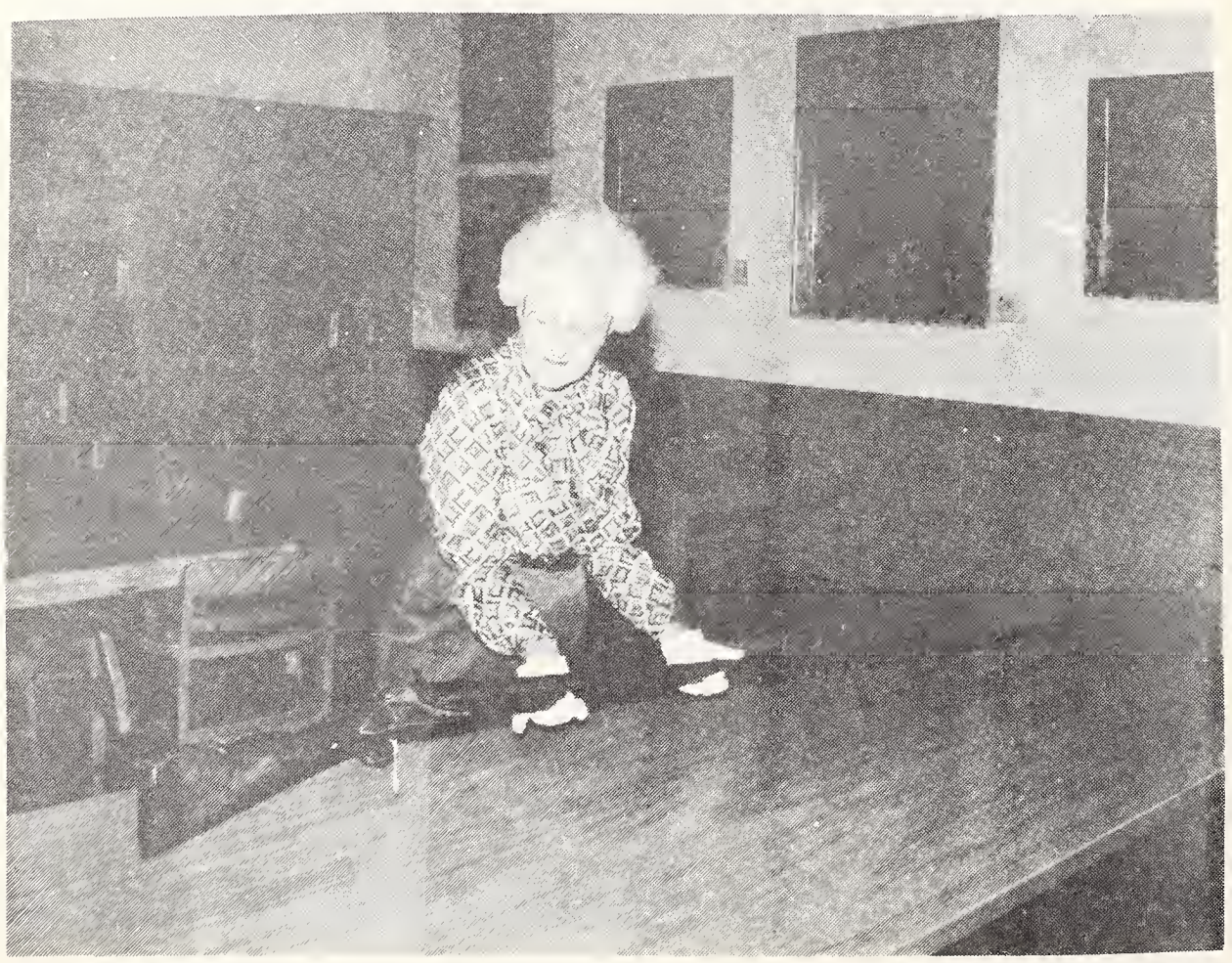
8. Memorial to Paul Carrington, in garden at Mulberry Hill
9. Mercer's Abridgment, Laws of Virginia 1759
10. Discourse on the Lives and Characters of the Early Presidents and Trustees of Hampden-Sidney College by Hugh Blair Grigsby
11. Visit to Mulberry Hill, home of Judge Paul Carrington

All that is left of "Morton Hall" Capt. John Morton's home.

The remains of "Dover" James Morton McNutt's home.

"Mulberry Hill" home of Judge Paul Carrington.



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CHAPTER XI

MAYO, READ, HILL, JENINGS and CORBIN FAMILIES

MAYO FAMILY

Joseph Mayo was born 17 August 1656, the son of William and Jane Mayo, of Poulshot, County Wilts, England. Joseph was buried 10 November 1691 at Poulshot. He married Elizabeth Hooper of Frome, Selwood. After Joseph died Elizabeth married Mr. Styles of Somersetshire, England. Elizabeth died 20 May 1740. The parish register, Poulshot, county Wilts, gives the children of Joseph and Elizabeth Mayo as follows:

1. Elizabeth, baptized 3 December 1682
2. WILLIAM, baptized 4 November 1684
3. Mary, baptized 19 June 1689
4. Sarah, (born between William and Mary, probably born at Frome, not listed in Poulshot parish register).
5. Joseph, b. at Frome, 25 March 1692, Selwood, county Somerset, although his tombstone in Powhatan County, Va. has it 1693. Joseph was born after his father's death. This is the Joseph Mayo that young George Carrington came from Barbados to Virginia with in 1723.

WILLIAM MAYO, born in Poulshot, county Wilts, England and baptized 4 Nov. 1684, first emigrated to the island of Barbadoes. He married, in the island of Barbadoes, Frances Gould, daughter of Enoch Gould of Bridgetown. Enoch Gould was transported to that island for participation in Monmouth's rebellion of 1685, and sold to Major Abell Allen for a term of years, under the decree of Judge Jeffreys. After his term of service he became a leading merchant of Bridgetown on the island of Barbados.

William Mayo became a surveyor - "....during the years 1717-1721 he made a careful survey and a plat or map of the island of Barbados. The map is now preserved in King's College Library. Some time before September 1723 he and his wife, Frances, and four daughters came to Virginia. In December 1723 he rented land from Thomas Randolph in Henrico County. On May 21, 1728 he qualified as one of the first justices for the new county of Goochland and was appointed the first surveyor of that county under appointment from Peter Beverly, Esq., surveyor-general of the Colony.

"In the spring and fall of 1729, he was one of the surveyors running the dividing line between the states of Virginia and North Carolina. In 1730 he was appointed major. In 1731 he ran the line between Goochland and Hanover; this was before Louisa County was formed, and the line extended beyond the inhabited parts towards the Blue Ridge Mountains.

"His wife, Frances, was dead in 1731, as he wrote to Miss Ann Perratt of Barbados, in August 1731, to come to Virginia and marry him and she did so!

"In 1733 Major Mayo went with Col. William Byrd on 'The Journey to the Land of Eden' and surveyed for him his 20,000 acre North Carolina tract of land. On September 19 he offered to lay off for Col. Byrd the future cities of Richmond and Petersburg 'without fee or reward'. In September 1736 Major Mayo was appointed one of the surveyors for His Majesty, in the Northern Neck boundary controversy between Fairfax and the crown. He was engaged in making this survey in October, 1736, and after. In 1737 (June-September) he 'formed a very elegant Map of the whole Northern Neck by joining all the particular Surveys together'. In the early part of this year, 1737, he laid off Richmond, and made a survey of Dr. Cabell's James River lands.

"In 1738 Mr. Joshua Fry, Maj. Robert Brooke, and Maj. William Mayo made a proposition to the House of Burgesses for making an exact map of the colony of Virginia. In 1740 he was appointed a colonel of Goochland militia. The last entry for new land made with him as surveyor was dated October 17, 1744. It was the 1240th entry in Goochland County." The Cabells and Their Kin by Alexander Brown, p. 184-186.

There is a metal plaque, attached to the iron fence, in the front of St. John's Church in Richmond which reads, "In Memory of MAJOR WILLIAM MAYO who in 1737 "without fee or reward" laid off the original town site of Richmond for his friend Colonel William Byrd." In smaller letters at the bottom of the plaque it reads, "Erected by the people of the East End in the Bicentennial Year 1937". (This is the church where Patrick Henry made his famous speach.)

In Goochland County Wills and Deeds, 1728-1736, compiled by Benjamin B. Weisiger III, p. 357, Deed 26 June 1732, William Mayo of Goochland County to Anne Mayo, his daughter, for love and affection, 6 negroes at his plantation on Willis River....with all horses, cattle, utensils, etc. belonging to said plantation. /s/ William Mayo, recorded 19 Sept. 1732.

P. 359, Deed 26 June 1732, William Mayo of Goochland County to George Carrington and Anne Mayo (daughter of said William) 2850 acres on Willis River, bounded as by patent to said William Mayo 25 Aug. 1731, with all houses, etc. Recorded 19 Sept. 1732. Anne, wife of William relinquished her dower right. (This would be Anne (Perratt) Mayo, second wife.)

P. 448, Will of William Mayo of Goochland County. This Will is dated 10 Feb. 1743, recorded 20 Nov. 1744. He mentions, Ann, his wife, to be Executrix. Also, children mentioned are: Daughter, Mary, wife of Edmund Gray; Daughter, Sarah, wife of Joseph Scott; Son, John: Son, Joseph (when he is 21); Daughter, Rebeckah Mayo; Son, Daniel; Son-in-law, George Carrington (husband of Anne) (SEE CARRINGTON FAMILY).

Issue by 1st wife, Frances Gould:

1. ANN, born in the island of Barbados 1712; d. 15 February 1785, m.George Carrington. (SEE CARRINGTON FAMILY).
2. Sarah, born in the island of Barbados about 1714; m. (1) a Mr. Joneston or Dr. Scott; (2) Joseph Scott.
3. Mary, born in the island of Barbados about 1716; m. Edmund Gray
4. Hester, born in the island of Barbados; d. young

5. Elizabeth, d. young
6. William, d. young

By 2nd wife, Ann Perratt, of Barbados

7. Daniel, b. in Virginia about 1733; m. Mary____
8. Rebecca, b. in Virginia in 1735; m. Henry Macon
9. John, b. in Virginia about 1737; d. June 17, 1780
10. Joseph, b. in Virginia about 1739; Will dated 26 Nov. 1802

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READ (READE) FAMILY

It is said that a remote ancestor of the Reade family, of England, was Rheda, a a convert to Christianity in the early centuries, King of Dal Reada, part of Scotland, and descended from the ancient rulers of Ireland. From Scotland, the descendants of Rheda are said to have gone to Northumberland, there establishing the Barony of Redesdale and in the fifteenth century, here lived Robert of Redesdale. The early ancestors of the Reades claimed descent also from Alexander, King of Scotland, from Malcolm Canmore, Prince Llewellyn of Wales, Edward the First of England. One of the branches of the family, Faccombe, of Faccombe Manor, owned lands in the County of Cork, Ireland the Manor of Linkenholt, Hampshire, England.

At the time of the Doomesday survey, the Manor of Linkenholt belonged to Ernalf de Herding. Later it came into the possession of Lord Thomas Wriothesly, and in 1546 Lord Wriothesly conveyed it to Sir Richard Reade. From Sir Richard it passed eventually to his son, Andrew, of Faccombe, who, upon the marriage of his son, Robert, to Mildred Windebank, conveyed it to this Robert Reade.

Sir Richard Read's son, Andrew Reade married a Miss Cooke of Kent County, and Andrew, in time, inherited Faccombe Manor. Andrew and his wife had four daughters and five sons, the sons being Henry, Robert, George, John and Andrew.

Robert Reade married Mildred Windebank in 1600, when she was just sixteen years old, at St. Martins-in-the Field. Mildred was the daughter of Sir Thomas Windebank and his wife, Frances Dymoke. Frances was the daughter of Sir Edward Dymoke and his wife, Lady Anne Talbois. Frances Dymoke was a direct descendant of Alfred the Great, King of England; going back sixteen generations through Matilda of Scotland who married Henry First of England, and eight more generations to Alfred the Great.

George Reade, son of Robert and Mildred (Windebank) Reade, came to Virginia in 1637. His mother's Will is dated 15 Aug. 1630, so both father and mother were dead when he came to Virginia, and from letters to his brother, Robert, it would seem that Robert was in charge of the family estate.

In 1637-8 George was living at the Governor's home in Virginia and wrote to England for two servants. In August, 1640 a letter from the king to the governor of Virginia and his council, commands them to admit George Reade to the place of secretary in the absence of Mr. Kemp, then in England. From these

facts it is evident that George Reade was a young gentleman of distinction, and it is not surprising that he advanced rapidly to positions of honor and responsibility. He was secretary of the Colony, 1637; acting governor 1648; burgess from James City County 1649 and from York County 1656; was elected member of His Majesty's Council, March 13, 1657-1658 and again in April 1658-1671. He held this office until his death and was also colonel of militia. His Will was probated November 20, 1671.

George married Elizabeth Martian, daughter of Captain Nicholas Martian, of York County, whose home was upon the present site of Yorktown. Nicholas Martian is said to have been a Frenchman, born 1591, went to England, was naturalized there, came to America some time prior to 1620. He was justice of York County, 1633-1657; burgess for York 1623, for Kiskyache and the Isle of Kent, 1631; and for Kiskyache 1632-1633. His Will was dated 1 March 1656, recorded in York County 24 April 1657. He mentions his daughters, Elizabeth, wife of Colonel George Reade; Mary, wife of Lieutenant Colonel John Seasbrook, and Sarah, wife of Captain William Fuller, one time governor of Maryland.

Elizabeth Read's Will was proved 24 January 1686-1687. She is listed as the Widow of Colonel George Reade.

George and Elizabeth had 12 children, but have only found five mentioned: Mildred who married Col. Augustine Warner; Robert who married Mary Lilly, daughter of John Lilly; Francis who married first Jane Chisman and second Anne; Benjamin Reade who married Lucy; and Thomas who married Lucy Gwynne. (NOTE: Samuel Reade, son of the above mentioned Robert and his wife, Mary (Lilly) Reade, had a daughter, Frances, who married Anthony Robinson, High Sheriff of York County - was this the family of President John Robinson of Spotsylvania, that our Clement Read became a ward of after his parents' death??)

Thomas Reade, son of Colonel George and his wife, Elizabeth (Martian) Reade, married Lucy Gwynne who was the granddaughter of Colonel William Bernard, a lineal descendant of Lady Margaret le Scrope, who traces back through several generations to Princess Joan de Acres and her husband, Gilbert de Clare; the Gwynne family is descended from the old royal house of Wales.

Thomas and Lucy (Gwynne) Read had five children: Rev. John; Lucy who married John Dixon of Bristol; Mildred who married Major Philip Rootes; Mary who married Mordecai Throckmorton; and another son, believed to be Clement Read of Charlotte County who married Mary Hill.

The records of York County were sent to King and Queen County, Va. for safe keeping during the Revolutionary War. These records were still in King and Queen County during the War Between the States, at which time the court house was burned, destroying all of the early records of both York and King and Queen Counties. Therefore, it is impossible to completely verify that Colonel Clement Read, or Reade, was the son of Thomas Reade.

CLEMENT READ

Colonel Clement Read was born 1 January 1707 and died 2 Jan. 1763. He married ca. 1730 Mary Hill, who was born 1711 and died 11 Nov. 1780 in her 69th year at

"White Bank" in King and Queen County, Va. She was the daughter of William and Priscilla (Jenings) Hill. (SEE HILL AND JENINGS FAMILIES)

It is said that Clement Read was the ward of President John Robinson of Spotsylvania and that upon completion of his college years he came to the home of Speaker John Robinson in King and Queen County, where he met Mary Hill. She was the daughter of William Hill, an officer in the British Navy. Her mother was Priscilla Jenings, daughter of Governor Edmund Jenings and his wife, Frances (Corbin). (SEE JENINGS FAMILY)

Colonel Clement Read was educated at William and Mary College; later qualified as attorney in Goochland, Albemarle and Brunswick Counties. He was a vestryman in the churches of Brunswick and Lunenburg, trustee of William and Mary College, 1729; first clerk of Lunenburg, 1746; was president of the Council, and upon the departure of Governor Gooch for England, 1749, acted as governor of the colony.

As early as 1722 land grants were recorded in Brunswick County, that were in sections of the county later to become Lunenburg, then Charlotte County. In an old Vestry Book of St. Andrews' Parish of Brunswick County, we find, "Clement Read sold 500 acres of land to Luke Milner and that his wife, Mary, shall relinquish her Dower therein to meet the bond." Said land was on the north side of Waqua Creek,in Brunswick County. Dated 17 June 1744.

The first term of Court of Lunenburg County was held on 5 May 1745 and one of the first orders of business was to read the Commission from the Honorable Thomas Nelson, Esquire, Secretary of the Colony, appointing Clement Read to be First Clerk of the newly formed court. In 1756 Governor Dinwiddie ordered the establishment of a magazine or storage warehouse for military supplies and provisions at what is now Charlotte Court House. The magazine was built in 1756 and Colonel Clement Read was asked to see to the arming and provisioning of the militia troops.

When Clement Read died in January, 1763, Mary, or "Madam Read" as she was often called, took charge of Bushy Forest, and riding her plantation daily saw that her orders were carried out. She was one of the most imposing characters in the beginning of Charlotte and many anecdotes of this spirited old dame, her stately bearing, her strong family pride, her zealous support of the church, are still preserved. By an Act of Legislature, the village, formerly called Dalstonburg, was renamed Marysville in her honor.

Bishop Meade, says in his Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia, Vol. II, p.28, "....Colonel Clement Read died in 1763 and was buried at Bushy Forest. His wife was laid by his side in 1780."

Issue of Clement and Mary:

1. Mary, m. Thomas Nash
2. MARGARET, b. 1734; d. 1766; m. 1 Oct. 1755, Paul Carrington (SEE CARRINGTON FAMILY).
3. Clement, b. 1736; m. Mary Nash 1757
4. Isaac, b. 1738; d. 1777; m. Sarah Embra
5. Thomas, b. 1740; d. 1817; m. Elizabeth Nash
6. Edmund, m. (1) ____ Lewis; m. (2) Pauline Cabell
7. Jonathan, m. Jane Lewis. They eloped at the age of 24 and upon their return to the county, Madam Read had them remarried by Rev. Thomas Johnston.

HILL FAMILY

Mary Hill Read, wife of Col. Clement Read, of Charlotte County, was the daughter of WILLIAM HILL, A british Naval Officer and of the family of the Marquis of Downshire. William married Priscilla Jenings, daughter of Hon. Edmund Jenings and his wife, Frances (Corbin), in 1706 or 1708; and in 1720 they moved to that part of the Isle of Wight County that was called Brunswick County, later Amelia County.

William Hill was granted 150 acres of land in Nansamond, later Norfolk County, Virginia, near the head of the Southern Branch of the Elizabeth River for the transportation of three persons into the Colony of Virginia in 1697. Signed, Edmund Jenings, Deputy Secretary. From Virginia Land Registry Book #9, 1695 to 1706.

Mary Hill Read was a wealthy and most accomplished lady. She lived at White Bank (after the death of her husband), one of the old Robinson homesteads in King and Queen County, and it was there that Clement Read, the adopted son of John, or 'President' Robinson, first saw her. The records of King and Queen County have been destroyed, and it is impossible to verify the parentage of Col. Read or his wife. From The Cabells and Their Kin, p. 208, by Alexander Brown. In Virginia and Virginians, by Dr. R. A. Brock, Vol. I, p.32-33, "....Another daughter of Edmund Jenings married William Hill, of the family of the Marquis of Downshire."

William died intestate, but the Inventory and Appraisement of his personal estate, with William Watson as Administrator, is given in Amelia County Will Book #1, p. 511, 19 Aug. 1748.

William and Priscilla, according to Amelia County and Brunswick County records, indicate that they had one daughter and three sons, viz:

1. William, b. about 1709; d. 1774; m. Martha Davis
2. MARY, b. 1711; d. 11 Nov. 1780 at White Bank, King and Queen County, Va.; m. CLEMENT READ of Brunswick Co., Va. (later Charlotte County) (SEE READ FAMILY)
3. John, b. about 1713; d. 1781; m. Elizabeth ____
4. Joseph, b. about 1717; d. 1775 in Cumberland County, formed from Amelia; m. Joanna Read.

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JENINGS FAMILY

Hon. EDMUND JENINGS, of "Ripon Hall" Yorke County, Virginia, was born in 1659 in Rippon, Yorke, England and died 2nd June 1727 at "Ripon Hall" in York County, Virginia. He was the son of Sir Edmund (who was a member of Parliament) and Margaret (Burkham) Jenings, of Ripon, Yorke County, England. His paternal grandfather was Sir Jonathan Jenings of Ripon, and his maternal grandfather was Sir Edward Burkham, Lord Mayor of London in 1621-22. Harleian Visitation of Ripon, Yorke, England by William Dugdale, 15 Aug. 1665, p. 58.

Edmund Jenings married Frances Corbin, born 1671, the daughter of Hon. Henry and Alice (Eltonhead) Corbin, of "Buckinghamshire House", Middlesex County, Virginia. Frances died in London on 22 Nov. 1713.

From Virginia and Virginians by Dr. R. A. Brock, Vol. 1, p.32-33, we find, "...is first mentioned in Virginia annals, August 1, 1684, as Attorney General of the Colony....in 1696, Deputy Secretary of Virginia....the agent of the proprietary of the Northern Neck. He was long a member of the council, and, as its president, upon the death of Governor Nott, became, August 23, 1705, the executive of Virginia. He was one of the commissioners the same year for laying off the city of Williamsburg....Jenings continued the executive of Virginia until the arrival of Lieutenant-Governor Spotswood, June 23, 1710."

From William and Mary Quarterly, Vol. I, p.85, we find, "Yorke County, Va. Major Croshaw's home was "Poplar Neck" and was purchased by Edmund Jenings, son of Sir Edmund Jenings, and named "Rippon Hall" after the Jennings' place of habitation in England. It is now known (1892) as the Bigler Mill Tract."

From Vol. 2, p.271 of William and Mary Quarterly, "Major Croshaw's home was called "Poplar Neck" and was sold by Col. West and Unity, his wife, in 1687 to Edmund Jennings, Secty. of State, who named it "Rippon Hall" and died there June 2, 1727."

His Will has not been found on record in Yorktown. Records of that period were said to have been conveyed to King and Queen County Court House during the Revolution and were destroyed by fire during the War Between the States.

Edmund Jenings was buried in the Churchyard in Jamestown, Va., but in 1905, at the time of the restoration of the Bruton Parish Church in Williamsburg, his marble tombstone was brought from Jamestown and placed in the main aisle of the Church. He was a vestryman for the Bruton Parish Church for many years.

When we were in Williamsburg in the spring of 1988 we saw the tombstone that has a prominent place in the main aisle of the church. The original inscription can no longer be read, but there are words to the right and left side of the marble stone that would establish that it is definitely that of Hon. Edmund Jenings. The top inscription is "E.J." second large line, "JU__ 1727, Edmund Jenings, Esq." From the Bruton Parish Churchyard and Church published by the Church in 1976, we find the full inscription, "The Hon. Edmund Jenings Esq., son of Sir Edmund Jenings of Ripon in Yorkshire, England, was born in 1659 and died in 1727. He was Attorney General, Secretary of State, President of the Council, and from 1706-1710 Acting-Governor of the Colony of Virginia. For many years he was a Vestryman of Bruton Parish and was serving the Church in this capacity when this building was erected. In 1710 he was instrumental in persuading the House of Burgesses to appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the building of pews for the Governor, Council and House of Burgesses in the two wings and intervening part of the Church, this entire portion of the Church being subsequently built and paid for by the House of Burgesses under the supervision of Governor Alexander Spotswood."

At the time (1905) this tombstone was removed from the Jamestown churchyard, near the marble a grave was found, presumably that of the Hon. Edmund Jenings.

On a plaque in the Bruton Parish Church, it states, "To the Glory of God and in memory of the Governors of Colonial Virginia who occupied this Pew....(listed) Edmund Jenings, President of the Council 1706-1710." Another, "To the Glory of God and in Memory of the Vestry of 1710-1715 who erected the present church

building....Edmund Jenings (listed with others)." A third one, "To the Glory of God and in memory of the Colonial Wardens of Bruton Parish, Names Recorded....Hon. Edmund Jenings 1710...."

Issue Edmund and Frances (Corbin) Jenings:

1. Frances; m. Hon. Charles Grymes of "Moratico", Richmond Co., Va.
2. Elizabeth, b. 1694; d. 20 Jan. 1754; m. Hon. Robert Porteus, removed to England in 1720
3. Edmund, of Maryland; b. 1700; d. 3 May 1759; Secretary of State; m. 1728 Areana (Vanderheyden-Frisby) Bordley, wid. of James Frisby and Thomas Bordley and dau. of Matthias Vanderheyden
4. PRISCILLA, m. ca. 1708 William Hill, an Officer in the British Navy. (SEE HILL FAMILY)

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CORBIN FAMILY

HON. HENRY CORBIN was born in 1629 at "Hall End", Warwick County, England and died 8 Jan. 1676 at "Buckingham House", Middlesex County, Virginia. He came to the Colony of Virginia in 1654 in the ship Charity and resided first in the parish of Stratton Major, King and Queen County. This parish was named by the Corbins after their old home in the town of Stratton, Cornwall County, England. They later moved to "Buckingham House" and it is here that the ruins of an old Chapel, said to have been attached to his residence, are still visible.

Bishop Meade, in his Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia speaks of him as being the first registrar of the parish of Middlesex County in 1663. The old Vestry Books show that he was registrar from 1663 to 1667. He was one of the Vestry appointed to write to England for a minister for the parish and he gave largely of land to the Church.

He was a member of the King's Council in 1663, a Burgess from Lancaster County in 1657, '59 and '60. He was of the Office of Councilor of State of the Commonwealth of England. His Will is dated 25 July 1675 and he left large estates in England and Virginia. On 25 July 1656 in Lancaster Cove he married Alice Eltonhead Burham, widow of Rowland Burnham, and daughter of Richard and Ann (Sutton) Eltonhead of Lancaster County, England. After Henry died, she married a third time to Capt. Henry Briyke.

Issue Alice and Henry:

1. Letitia, b. 1657; d. 6 Oct. 1706; m. 1694 Col. Richard Lee
2. Alice, b. 14 Feb. 1660; m. 28 Sept. 1679 Hon. Philip Lightfoot
3. Winifred, b. 3 Nov. 1662; d. 1709; m. Col. LeRoy Griffin
4. Ann, b. 9 Feb. 1664; d. 1694; m. 1685 Hon. William Taylor
5. Henry, b. 1666 in England; d. in infancy
6. Thomas, b. 1668 in England; d. unmarried, 4 Nov. 1736
7. Gawin, b. 1669; d. 1744; m. (1) Catherine Wormley; m. (2) Jane (Lane) Wilson; m. (3) Martha Bassett
8. FRANCES, b. 1671; m. Hon. Edmund Jennings of "Rippon Hall", York Co., Va. (SEE JENNINGS FAMILY)

Our immigrant Corbin ancestor, Hon. Henry Corbin, was a descendant of Robert

Corbion or Corbin, whose son Robert gave lands to the Abbey of Talesworth, 1154-1161, in the reign of Henry II of England.

The following is Henry Corbin's English ancestry:

1. Robert Corbion, or Corbin, of England, his son and heir
2. Robert Corbion, or Corbin, gave lands to the Abbey of Talesworth, 1154-1161, his son and heir
3. Richard Corbin, of England, his son and heir
4. Robert Corbin, of England, his son and heir
5. William Corbin, of England, his son and heir
6. Harmon Corbin, of England, his son and heir
7. William Corbin, of England, his son and heir
8. Thomas Corbin, of England, his son and heir
9. William Corbin, of "Birmingham",Warwick Co., England, lived in the early 14th Century, his son and heir
10. William Corbin, of "King's Gwinford", Stafford County, England, lived in the reign of Edward III, in the year of 1332, his son and heir
11. Henry Corbin, of England, lived in the reign of Richard II, in the year 1384, his son and heir
12. John Corbin, of England, his son and heir
13. Nicholas Corbin, seized of "Hall End" and other lands in Warwick County, England, in the reign of Richard III and Henry VIII and from this time on "Hall End" became the home of the Corbins, his son and heir
14. Richard Corbin, of "Hall End", Warwick County, England, his son and heir
15. Thomas Corbin, of "Hall End",Warwick County, England, his son and heir
16. George Corbin, of "Hall End",Warwick County, England, his son and heir
17. Thomas Coirbin, of "Hall End",Warwick County, England; b. 24 May 1594 at "Hall End"; d. June 1637 at "Hall End"; m. 1620 Winifred Grosvenor, dtr. Gawin Grosvenor of Cheshire, England. These were the parents of our immigrant, HENRY CORBIN.

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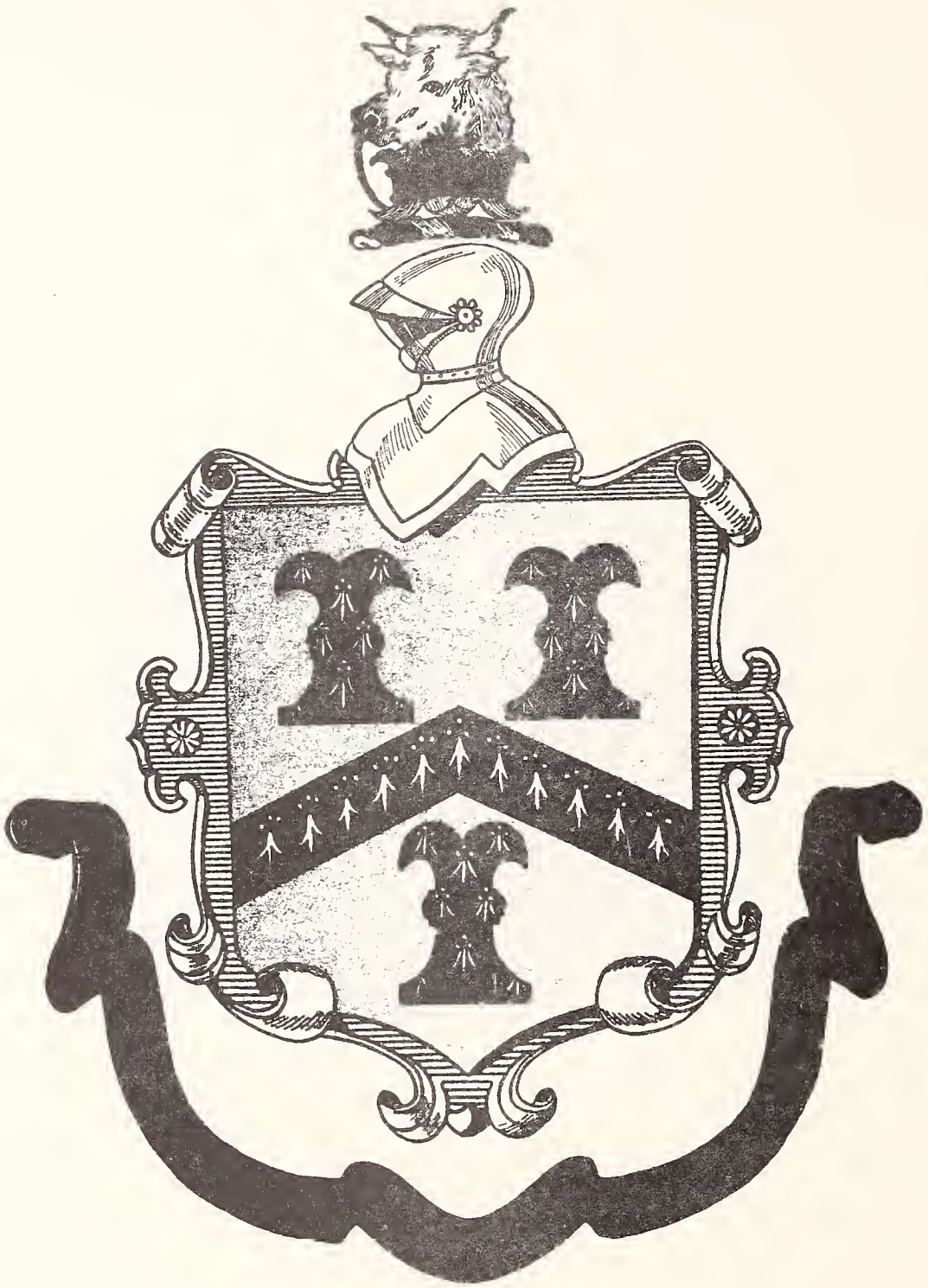
Metal Plaque, attached to the iron fence, in from of St. John's Church in Richmond, Virginia.

SECTION II

WOLCOTT
AND
RELATED FAMILIES



Wolcott

CHAPTER XII

WOLCOTT FAMILY

There is a Society of Descendants of Henry Wolcott, with members in the United States and Canada, in excess of 600 members. In 1986, the Society published an excellent Genealogy, written by Robert C. Griffen and Mitchell R. Alegre. I will not attempt to elaborate nor alter this Genealogy in any way, rather, it is the intention here to take my own line only; to do otherwise would be much too lengthy and the aforementioned Genealogy could not be improved!

Our Wolcott immigrant was Henry Wolcott who came to this country at age 52 aboard the Mary and John, sailing from Plymouth, England on 20 March 1630, with Captain Squeb as skipper. Before the group of one hundred forty people from western England sailed, they organized as an independent church, with the Rev. Mr. John Maverick and the Rev. Mr. John Warham as their ministers. This group came to be known as the First Church in Windsor, the oldest in Connecticut. Inside the church today is a large stone tablet listing the ministers of the church and Mr. John Warham is shown as the first minister; Mr. Maverick, an older man, died 3 February 1637 before coming to Windsor.

Along with Henry were his wife, the former Elizabeth Saunders, their sons Henry, Christopher and George. The oldest son, John, never came to America, and the two daughters, Anna and Mary, and the youngest son, Simon, came to America some time between 1630 and 1641, after the family was settled.

When Henry came to America, during the rule of Charles I, England was at war, under military law, suffering economic hardships and split by religious differences. America was thought of as a refuge for religious and civil freedom. According to Burke's Landed Gentry, the Walcots descended from one of the ancient septs of Wales, and their surname derived from the marriage of an ancestor to the heiress of the Knightly House of Walcot. The family was seated at Walcot, Salop until the sale of that property to Lord Clive, and Burke takes Henry's lineage back twenty-six generations. However, additional proof is needed to further document this. The following is Henry's English ancestry:

BLEDDYN, son of Cynfyn, had daughter Efa, wife of Llewelyn Aurdorchog
LLEWELYN AURDORCHOG (Llewelyn with golden chain), Lord of Yale, in Dengighland, m. ca. 1000 AD, Efa, and their son
LLEWELYN Vychan, Lord of Yale, m. Anne, dtr. of Cadwagan, son of Elystan Glodrydd, Prince of Fferlys
REES, son of Llewelyn, m. Lleski, dtr. of Llewelyn, son of Meilor Gryg, Baron of Gygynon
EINION, son of Rees, m. Jane, dtr. of Einion, son of Seissylt, Lord of Mathafern
IOWERTH, son of Einion, m. Jane, dtr. of David Vychan, of Bachelldere
TRANAIARN, son of Iorwerth. For his valor, the Prince of Powys gave him land and made him Lord of Garthmael. This noble married Dyddo, dtr. of Meredith Roberts, Lord of Cardewen.
IORWERTH, son of Trahaiarn, Lord of Garthmael, m. Jane, dtr. of Sir Peter Corbet, Knight
REES, son of Iorwerth, Lord of Garthmeal, m. Jane, dtr. of Einion Pen.

DAVID, son of Rees, Lord of Garthmael, m. ca. 1227, Jane, only dtr. and heir of Sir John Walcot, Esq., of Walcot, a Knight of the thirteenth century, his son,

JERAN (Jevan, Ievan, John) Walcot, so named by the request of his mother, the heiress of Walcot. He m. Ann, only dtr. of John Mynde of Shropshire.

ROGER WALCOTT, ca. 1255, of Walcot, who m. Edith, dtr. of Sir William Downes, Knight. His eldest son, Sir. Philip.

SIR PHILIP WALCOT of Walcot, Knight, who m. Julian, dtr. of John Harley of Hereford, ca. 1327.

JOHN WALCOT of Walcot, who m. Alice, dtr. of David Lloyd, Esq.

SIR JOHN WALCOT of Walcot, Knight, died after 1383. He is mentioned in the American Heraldica.

THOMAS WALCOT, died ca. 1406.

JOHN WALCOT , d. 2 Aug. 1396.

SIR JOHN WALCOT of Walcot, living in time of Henry V; m. Matilda, dtr. of Sir Richard Cornwall, Baron of Hereford. To the Heralds' Visitation is appended a note:

> This John Walcot (Wolcott) plainge at ye chese with King Henry the Fifth Kinge of England gave to him the check-matte with the rouke whereupon the Kinge changed his coate of armes which was the crosse with fleurs-de-lis and gave him the rouke for a remembrance thereof, the which he and his posteritie have continued to this day and given the same for their first coate.

ROGER WOLCOTT, b. 1416; m. Margaret, dtr. of David Lloyd, Esq. Changed "A" to "O" in the name.

WILLIAM WOLCOT, one of the younger sons who moved to Tolland, Somersetshire, England. He is the one our Henry is descended from in Tolland. Born 1439; d. 1504; m. Joan Sperry, b. 1442.

WILLIAM WOLCOT II, b. 1463; d. 1502. Will dated 2 Aug. 1500. Will proved 1530; m. Elizabeth Whetchill, d. 1514.

THOMAS WOLCOTT, b. 1487; d. 5 June 1554; lived in Tolland in 1552; m. Margaret Welling; d. 5 Feb. 1557.

JOHN WOLCOT, b. 10 Sept. 1516, Tolland, England; d. 7 Dec. 1571. Will dated 1571; m. Agnes Butler.

JOHN WOLCOTT II, b. 17 Apr. ;1745; Tolland, England; d. 10 Dec. 1623. Will dated 10 Nov. 1623; proved 4 Jan. 1624; m. 9 Feb. 1578, Agnes Crosse.

HENRY WOLCOTT, our immigrant (SEE HENRY WOLCOTT -1-)

Emigration from Taunton and District to New England, 1625-1645 by H. J. Wickenden, Taunton, England, states, "It must be mentioned that he (Henry) made a voyage preliminary to that of Winthrop's company and this spying out of the new land seems to bear out the family motto 'Nellius addictus jurare in verba magistre' which may be rendered 'Take nothing on trust'. This early voyage shows thought not only for his own welfare, but for the safety of his family; for who could believe the tales that were then circulated as to the prosperity, or otherwise, of the new colonies?

He (Henry) had ample wealth to support himself and family of five boys and two girls. Why then did he emigrate so late in life? No definite assertion can be made, but the most obvious inference to be drawn is that his reason was the same as that of John Winthrop whose famous words are quoted by Mr. J. B. Green: 'I shall call that my country where I may most glorify God and enjoy the presence of my dearest friends.' Henry Wolcott's life in New England seems to testify to this motive - a desire for religious freedom. He must have been sincere, for what other inducement could have caused him to uproot tradition, leave a prosperous estate and all that he held dear in this country?

Henry came from the Southwest section of England, Somerset, the village of Tolland, several miles from today's larger town of Taunton. The manor house mentioned in the old descriptions of Tolland is called Gaulden Manor, once owned by the Wolcotts. The manor house dates back to at least 1450 and is still standing today. In May, 1984 my husband and I were privileged to go to England, with a group of members of the Wolcott Society, and the visit to Gaulden Manor and the Tolland Church of St. John the Baptist was like returning over 350 years into the past.

Henry's brother, Christopher, was the legal owner of Gaulden Manor. He never married, and at his death Henry inherited all properties. It is thought that Henry and his family never lived at the manor house, but at the "Mill House", known as Watersmeet Farm today, a large house itself with an attached mill; it is thought that this was a portion of the Gaulden Manor lands; and, "as the crow flies" approximately one quarter mile from the manor house. The Mill House can be seen through the trees from a knoll in front of the manor house.

When Henry left England, in 1630, he brought with him a small wooden chest about twelve inches in length, seven inches wide and six and three quarters inches in height. The chest was covered in leather and lined with paper, on its curved lid were the initials H.W. in brass nails. This small chest contained Henry's valuable papers. This is still in existence and is the property of a local Connecticut Historical Society. In August, 1984 we viewed this chest and the deed to Gaulden Manor, which is written in Latin.

According to A Complete History of Connecticut, Civil and Ecclesiastical, by Benjamin Trumbull, D.D., Volume I, page 6, this is recorded:

"In one of the first ships which arrived this year, came over the Rev. Mr. John Warham, Mr. John Maverick, Mr. Rossiter, Mr. Ludlow, Mr. Henry Wolcott, and others of Mr. Warham's church and congregation, who first settled the town of Windsor, in Connecticut. Mr. Rossiter and Mr. Ludlow were magistrates. Mr. Wolcott had a fine estate, and was a man of superior abilities. This was an honourable company. Mr. Warham had been a famous minister in Exeter, the capital of the County of Devonshire. The people who came with him, were from the three counties of Devonshire, Dorsetshire, and Somershire.

"Some time before the 20th of March, just as they were about to embark for New England, upon a day of solemn fasting and prayer, they were formed into a congregational church, in the new hospital at Plymouth, in England. They then made their choice of Mr. Warham and Mr. Maverick to be their pastor and teacher, and they were ordained, or re-installed to the care of this particular church. The famous Mr. White, of Dorchester, preached and assisted on this occasion.

"They sailed from Plymouth, in England, on the 20th of March in the ship Mary and John, of 400 tons, and arrived at Nantasket on the Lord's day, May 30th. The next day, captain Squeb, master of the ship, put them and their goods on shore, at Nantasket point, and, in this situation, left them to shift for themselves. (Captain Squeb was, afterwards, obliged to pay damages for this conduct.) But, by the assistance of some of the old planters, they obtained a boat, and proceeded up Charles river, to the place since called Watertown. Here they landed their goods, and erected a shelter to cover them; but as they had many cattle, and found a neck of land at Mattapan, affording good accomodations for them, they soon removed and began a settlement there. They named their town Dorchester."

In July, 1633 another ship arrived at Dorchester, and there were eighty passengers and twelve cows aboard. "The importation of the latter was a vital necessity considering the food shortage, and in the Cargo lists of the period there appears to be a steady demand for butter, beef and dry tanned hides for which the plantations were in great distress." Emigration from Taunton and District to New England, 1625-1645,p.16.

Soon after this, word was received from the Dutch, in New York, that a valuable tract of land in Connecticut lay unsettled. John Oldham and three companions set out in September, 1633 to view this land and trade with the Indians. In 1634 a number of the Dorchester people applied to the General Court of Massachusetts to remove to Connecticut. Their request was denied. On June 3, 1635 a second application was received by the General Court from Rev. John Warham and the Church of Dorchester to remove to Connecticut and this time the request was granted.

A number of pioneers made their way to Connecticut during the summer of 1635 to build a new settlement. The first winter was severe; a number returned to Massachusetts, the ones who remained suffered extreme hardships. Spring brought new hopes and new settlers. It was at this time that John Haynes, Mr. Wells and Henry Wolcott came to Connecticut.

One hundred men, women and children began the arduous journey to their new homes in early May, 1636. Their possessions were sent ahead by boat. They drove their cattle before them as the travelers sought their way through forests and swamps and along Indian trails less than two feet wide. The travelers lived on the milk from their cattle and the prayers in their hearts. Each night they lay wrapped in their cloaks and blankets fearing the attack of wild beasts or unfriendly Indians. The pioneers reached their destination in two weeks and fanned out to build the Connecticut communities of Windsor, Hartford and Wethersfield.

Henry Wolcott was a leading citizen in the new Connecticut colony. In Massachusetts he had appeared on the first list of 'freemen' dated 19 October 1630, which made him a member of the colony's General Court. In 1637, Henry appears as one of twelve members in the Lower House of Connecticut's first General Assembly. In 1640 his name is first among the list of Windsor inhabitants. Three years later his name is among the members of the House of Magistrates, the Upper House of the Assembly. He was reelected to this position each year for the remainder of his life. He was described as being, 'after the pastor, the most distinguished man in Windsor!' From Wolcott Genealogy, page 19.

HENRY WOLCOTT
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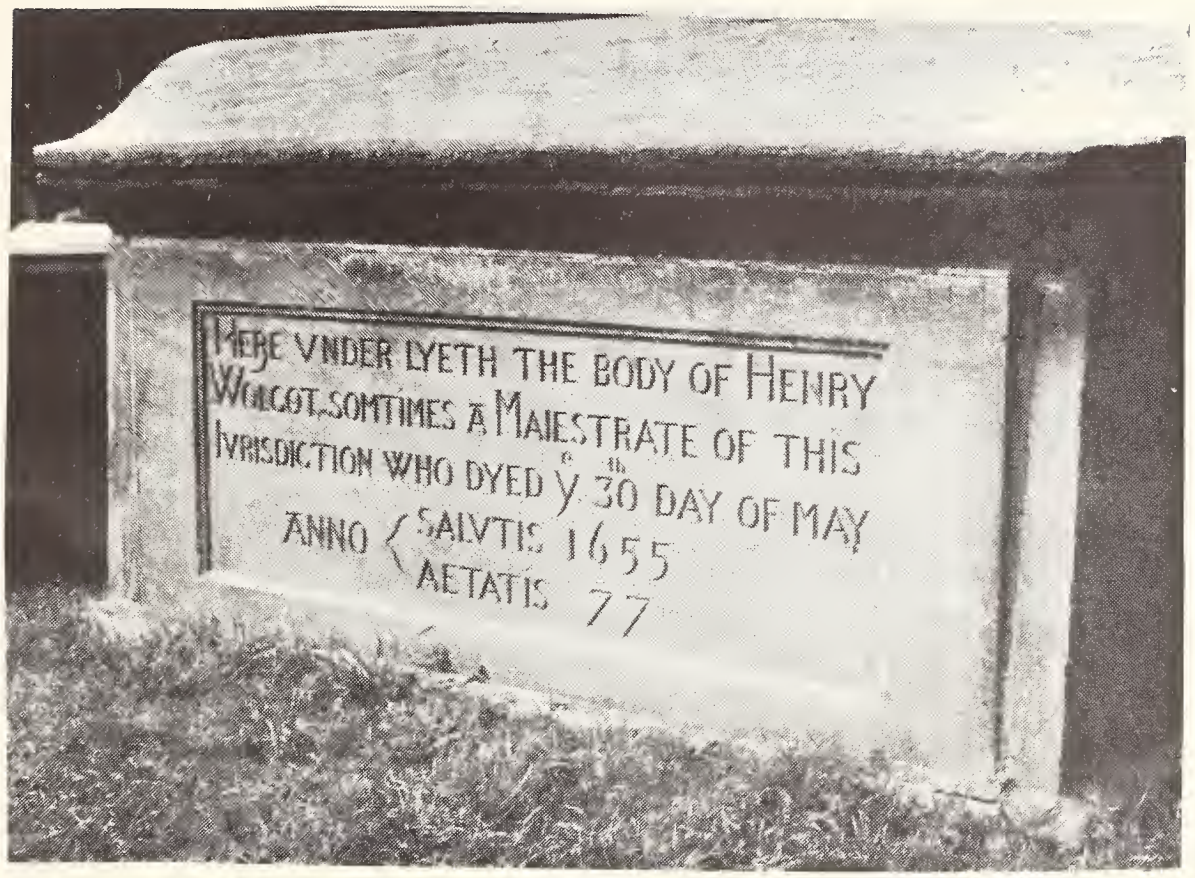
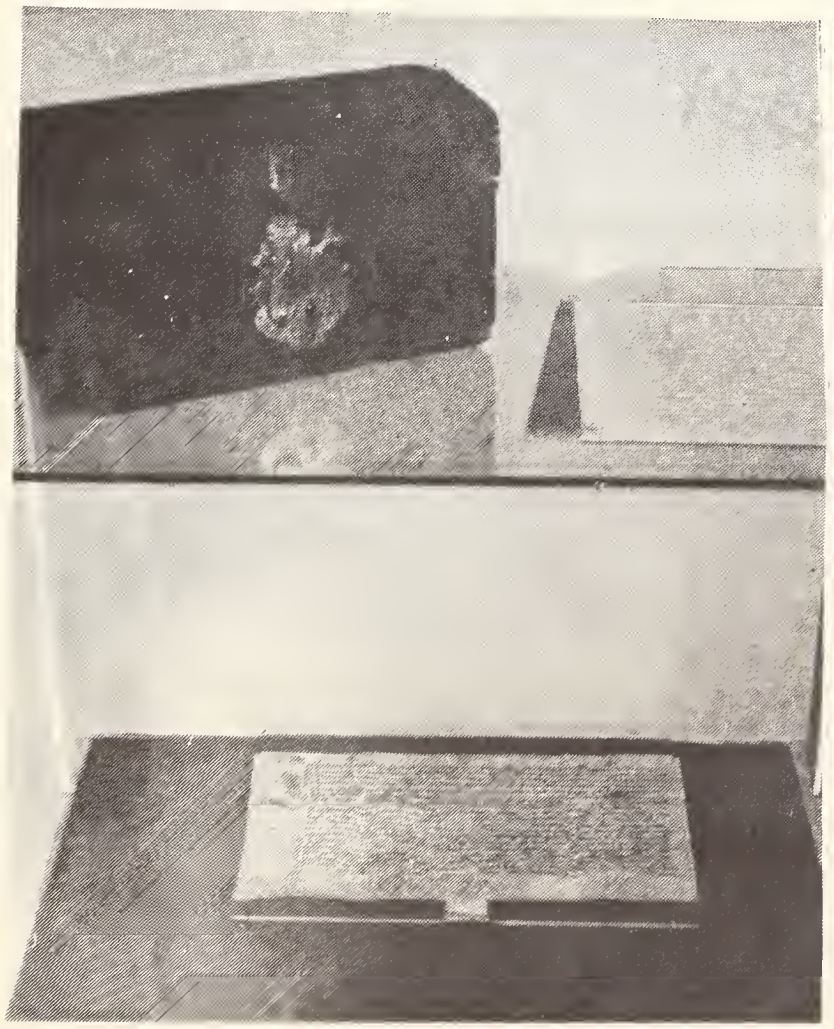
HENRY WOLCOTT 1. Henry was born in 1578, baptized 6 December 1578, in the parish church of Lydiard St. Lawrence in England, and died 30 May 1655 in Windsor, Connecticut. He was the son of John Wolcott II, b. 17 April 1545; d. 10 Dec. 1623; m. 9 Feb. 1578 to Agnes Crosse, b. 3 Jan. 1552; d. 2 Nov. 1623. John II was a miller as was his father, John, Sr., b. 10 Sept. 1516; d. 7 Dec. 1571; m. Agnes Butler, b. c. 1523; d. 6 Nov. 1606.

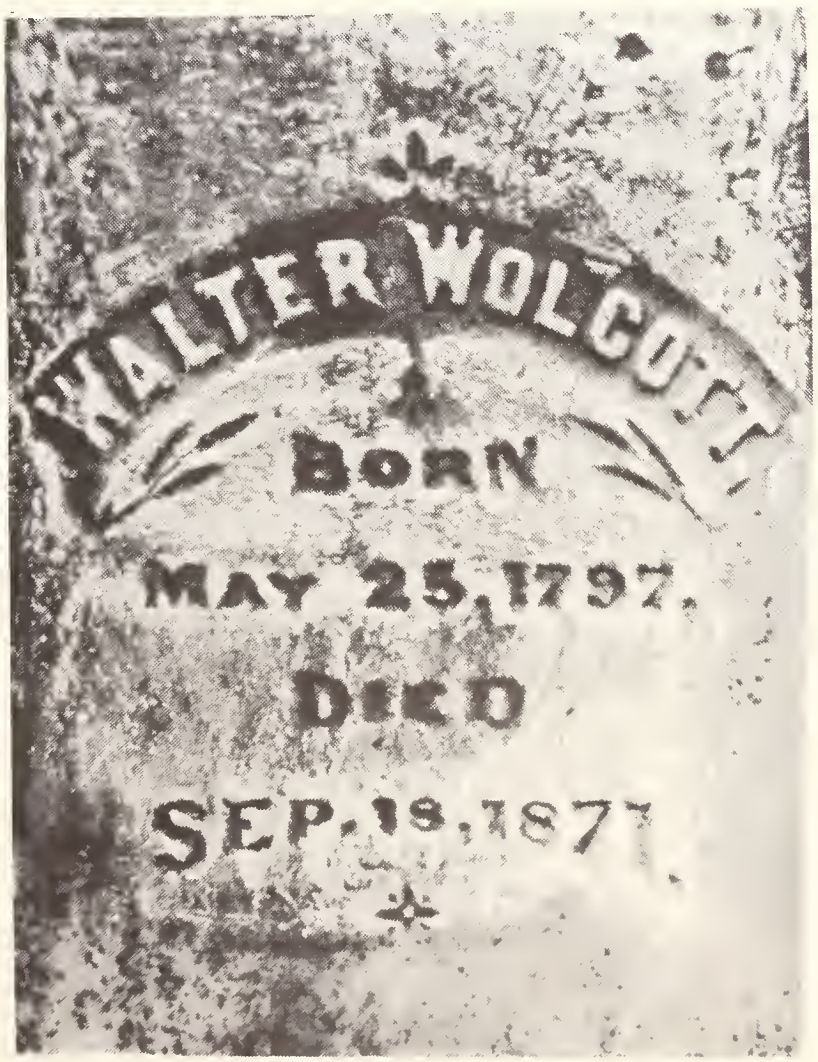
Henry's wife, Elizabeth Saunders, was b. 1582, baptized 20 Dec. 1584, in the parish church Lydiard St. Lawrence; d. 7 July 1655 in Windsor, Connecticut.



The Graves of Henry and Elizabeth (other side) Wolcott
First Congregational Churchyard, Windsor, Conn.



Henry Wolcott's Deed Chest and Deed to
Gaulden Manor, as viewed in 1984 in Conn.



Walter Wolcott's Grave, City
Cemetery, Griffin, Ga.

Henry and Elizabeth were married 19 Jan. 1606 at Lydiard St. Lawrence. Elizabeth was the daughter of Thomas Saunders, d. June, 1609, and his wife, Anne. When we were at Lydiard St. Lawrence Church in 1984 we were privileged to take communion at the alter where our ancestors were married in 1606.

Issue 7 children:

1. John, bp. 1 Oct. 1607, d. in England unmarried, prior to 1655
2. Henry, b. 21 Jan. 1610; d. 12 July 1680; m. 18 Nov. 1641 Sarah Newberry
3. Christopher, d. 7 Sept. 1662, unmarried
4. George, d. 12 Feb. 1662; m. 1649 Elizabeth Treat
5. Anna, b. 1620; d. between Sept. 1700 and May 1701; m. 16 Oct. 1646, Matthew Griswold
6. Mary, b. c. 1622; d. 16 Sept. 1689; m. 25 June 1646, Job Drake
7. SIMON, b. 11 Sept. 1624, England; d. 11 Sept. 1687; m. (1) Joanna Cook; m. (2) MARTHA PITKIN.

SIMON WOLCOTT
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SIMON 2, Henry 1. Simon was b. 11 Sept. 1624, in England and died 11 Sept. 1687, Windsor, Conn., was admitted a freeman in 1654; married (1) 19 March 1657, Joanna Cook, b. 5 Aug. 1638; died 27 April 1657, daughter of Aaron Cook, one of the first settlers of Windsor. He married (2) Martha Pitkin on 17 Oct. 1661 at Windsor, Conn.; b. 1639 in England; d. 13 Oct. 1719, Windsor, Conn., daughter of Rev. William J. and Elizabeth Pitkin, described as "late from England".

Martha Pitkin Wolcott was the sister of William Pitkin, Esq. of East Hartford, Attorney-General and Treasurer of the colony. It is thought that while Martha was on a visit to her brother, she accepted a proposal of marriage from Simon, made at the suggestion of leading men of the colony. James Savage, in his Historical and Genealogical Dictionary of New England, Vol. III, p. 441, says "....sister Martha who married 17 Oct. 1661, Simon Wolcott, was mother of the first Gov. from Windsor, who, in the funeral sermon upon him, is said to have never gone to any school but to have been solely educated by his mother at home."

Simon purchased the house lot of Goodman Whitehead opposite the residence of Simon's father, Henry, on the meadow road to Hartford, in April 1671. Simon later sold his place in Windsor to the Saunders brothers, removed to his farm in Simsbury, later returned to Windsor, and in 1680 settled on his land on the east side of the Connecticut River in the present town of South Windsor. He is buried in the Windsor churchyard.

After Simon's death, Martha Pitkin Wolcott married again in 1689 to Hon. Daniel Clarke, Esq. of Windsor, a widower. She is buried in the old South Windsor churchyard; however, her name is inscribed on the large flat marker, on stilts, covering the whole grave of Simon.

"Here lyes waiting for ye Resvrrection of
ye ivst, Mr. Simon Wolcott, Born 1625,
Dyed Sept. 11 1687

Also Martha Pitkin, wife of Simon Wolcott
Born 1639 Dyed Oct 13 1719"

Issue 10 children:

1. Elizabeth, b. 9 Aug. 1662, Windsor; d. 3 Jan. 1708; m. 8 Dec. 1680, Longmeadow, MA. Daniel Cooley
2. Martha, b. 17 May 1664; d. 8 Sept. 1687; m. 6 Jan. 1686, Thomas Allyn, Jr.
3. Simon, b. 24 June 1666; d. 28 Oct. 1732; m. 5 Dec. 1689 Sarah Chester
4. Joanna, b. 30 June 1668; d. 10 Jan. 1755; m. 2 Sept. 1690, John Colton
5. HENRY, b. 20 May 1670; d. 17 Nov. 1746; m. (1) 1 Apr. 1698, Jane Allyn (SEE ALLYN FAMILY); m. (2) Rachel Talcott; m. (3) Hannah Wolcott
6. Christopher, b. 4 July 1672; d. 3 Apr. 1693
7. Mary, b. 1674; d. 1676
8. William, b. 6 Nov. 1676; d. 26 Jan. 1749; m. 5 Nov. 1706 Abiah Hawley
9. Roger, b. 4 Jan. 1679, Windsor; d. 17 May 1767, Windsor; m. 3 Dec. 1702 Sarah Drake.

   NOTE: Roger, son of Simon and Martha was Governor of Connecticut; his 12th child, Oliver Wolcott, was also Governor of Conn. and one of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence from Conn. His home still stands today in Litchfield, Conn.
10. Daniel

HENRY WOLCOTT
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HENRY 3, Simon 2, Henry 1. Henry, son of Simon and Martha (Pitkin) Wolcott was born 20 May 1670 and died 17 Nov. 1746. He married first 1 April 1696, Jane Allyn, born 22 July 1670 and died 11 April 1702, daughter of Thomas and Abigail (Warham) Allyn of Windsor (SEE ALLYN and WARHAM FAMILIES). Henry married second Rachel Talcott who died 8 Jan. 1725 and on 11 April 1727 he married a third time to Hannah Hawley (Nicholas) Wolcott, widow of John Wolcott. Lt. Henry Wolcott was one of the original proprietors of Tolland and Wellington, Conn.

Issue 6 children:

1. HENRY, b. 28 Feb. 1697; d. 6 Nov. 1740; m. Abigail Cooley (SEE COOLEY FAMILY).
2. Thomas, b. 1 Apr. 1702; m. (1) d. 5 Oct. 1723; m. (2) 12 Aug. 1725, Catherine Loomis; m. (3) Fannie Dubelorey
3. Peter, d. Dec. 1733, Cork, Ireland; m. 30 May 1733, Mrs. Susanna Cornwell
4. Rachel, m. Joseph Hunt of Northampton
5. Jane, b. 20 Oct. 1710; d. 16 March 1711
6. Gideon, b. 1712; d. 5 June 1761; m. (1) Abigail Mather; m. (2) Naomi Olmsted

HENRY WOLCOTT
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HENRY 4, Henry 3, Simon 2, Henry 1. Henry, son of Henry and Jane (Allyn) Wolcott, was born 28 Feb. 1697. He married Abigail Cooley on 27 Dec. 1716; she was born 28 Oct. 1695 and died 6 Nov. 1740, the daughter of Benjamin II and Abigail (Bagg) Cooley of Longmeadow, Mass. (SEE COOLEY FAMILY). Henry took the Oath of Fidelity 12 Apr. 1779; provided food and clothing for the Continental soldiers in the Revolutionary War from his own fortune.

Issue 10 children:

1. Benjamin, b. 14 Sept. 1717; d. 25 Feb. 1801; m. Mrs. Mary Adams
2. Jane Allyn, b. 5 Aug. 1719; m. 31 Oct. 1745, Joseph Chapin
3. Abigail, b. 15 Aug. 1721; m. 1 Dec. 1743, Matthew Keep
4. Penelope, b. 15 Dec. 1724; d. 25/6 Jan. 1818, Fairlee, Vt.; m. 22 Nov. 1749, John Colton
5. Tryphena, b. 20 Dec. 1726; d. 25 Feb. 1825; m. (1) Oct. 1751, Theophilus Allyn; m. (2) 7 Apr. 1760, Roger Fyler
6. HENRY, b. 15 May 1729; d. 25 Oct. 1813; m.Dorcas Allen (SEE ALLEN FAMILY)
7. Christopher, bp. and d. 25 Oct. 1732
8. Simon, b. 7 Aug. 1733
9. Peter, b. 21 Aug. 1736; d. 7 Dec. 1758
10. Martha, bp. 9 Dec. 1739; m. Joseph Stoughton

HENRY WOLCOTT
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HENRY 5, Henry 4, Henry 3, Simon 2, Henry 1. Henry, son of Henry and Abigail (Cooley) Wolcott, was born 15 May 1729 and died 25 Oct. 1813; married Dorcas Allen, born 10 June 1742, died 9 May 1822, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Hewlett) Allen of East Windsor. Henry served in the American Revolution in the Patriotic Service from Connecticut, and this is the ancestor that I chose to use to join the Daughters of the American Revolution, National Number 642117.

Issue 6 children:

1. Henry, b. 1766; d. young
2. GIDEON, b. 26 May 1769; d. 21 Oct. 1840; m. 6 Nov. 1790, Huldah Bissell (SEE BISSELL FAMILY)
3. Elizabeth, b. 14 Sept. 1771; d. 20 Aug. 1853; m. George Barber
4. Jane. b. 13 Jan. 1777; d. 18__; m. 28 Feb. 1805, Lawrence Bissell
5. Henry, b. 27 May 1779
6. Dorcas, b. 9 Dec. 1784; d. 5 Mar. 1855; m. 12 Nov.1801, Levi Pease Abbe

GIDEON WOLCOTT
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GIDEON 6, Henry 5, Henry 4, Henry 3, Simon 2, Henry 1. Gideon, son of Henry and Dorcas (Allen) Wolcott, was born 26 May 1769 and died 21 Oct. 1840. On 6 Nov. 1790 he married Huldah Bissell, daughter of Hezekiah and Hannah (Blodgett) Bissell (SEE BISSELL FAMILY). Their home was in East Windsor. I used this ancestor to go into the National Society of New England Women, National Number 17411.

Issue 11 children:

1. Huldah, b. 1 Nov. 1791; m. 25 Nov. 1812, John Billings
2. Guy, b. 20 March 1793; d. 29 Dec. 1825
3. Walter, b. 25 April 1795; d. 7 May 1797
4. WALTER, b. 25 May 1797; d. 18 Sept. 1871, Griffin, Ga.; m. (1) Laura B. Wadsworth (SEE WADSWORTH FAMILY); m. (2) Louisa Hodges
5. Ruth, b. 25 July 1799; d. 14 Apr. 1861
6. Willard, b. 25 May 1801; d. 9 Feb. 1824

7. Candace, b. 13 July 1803; d. 15 May 1878; m. 21 Apr. 1825, Henry Moody
8. Gideon, b. 30 June 1805; d. 1867
9. Marvin, b. 27 June 1808; m. 1830 Eunice Newton
10. Henry Bissell, b. 1 Sept. 1811; m. 11 Apr. 1838, Mary Shepherd
11. Charles, b. 25 July 1813; d. Sept. 1894, Res. Keenah, WISC.

WALTER WOLCOTT
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WALTER 7, Gideon 6, Henry 5, Henry 4,Henry 3, Simon 2, Henry 1. Walter, son of Gideon and Huldah (Bissell) Wolcott, was born 25 May 1797 and died 18 Sept. 1871 in Griffin, Ga,. buried Griffin City Cemetery. On 29 Oct. 1826 he married Laura Boardman Wadsworth, daughter of James and Abigail (May) Wadsworth; bp. 22 June 1808, Glastonberry, Conn.; died 3 Sept. 1839 in Decatur, Ga., buried Decatur City Cemetery (old section) on lot of her brother, Walter Wadsworth. Walter Wolcott married second Louisa Hodges who died 4 Sept. 1887.

Walter is our pioneer Wolcott ancestor that left Connecticut, family information says, partially because of Laura's health. The family traveled with a group of Wolcotts and possibly others, first to Appleton, Wisconsin, later the Walter Wolcott family came south to Georgia, first settling in Decatur, Georgia. We were always told that they came by covered wagon. They probably came to Decatur because Laura's brother, Walter Wadsworth, had settled in Decatur. Walter Wadsworth married first Eleanor Spencer, 10 Sept. 1821 in Spartanburg, S.C. Eleanor died in 1830 and when Laura died in 1839 she was buried on Walter Wadsworth's lot in Decatur City Cemetery, in an unmarked grave.

Laura married Walter Wolcott when she was only sixteen years old and had several children when they left Connecticut. They must have gone first to Amherst, Mass. because one of their children was born there. The youngest child of Laura and Walter was only a few months old when Laura died.

After Laura's death, Walter Wolcott married Louisa Hodges and they settled in Griffin, Ga. about forty miles south of Atlanta. Louisa must have been a good mother and the children must have loved her, and on the tall monument at the graves of Walter and Louisa it says "Our Parents".

Issue 6 children, Laura and Walter; no children by Louisa.

1. Laura Ann, b. 9 Sept. 1827; d. 5 Feb. 1888; m. 28 Nov. 1847, Charles H. Osborn. Both buried same lot as Walter and Louisa.
2. WILLIAM WADSWORTH, b. 29 March 1829, Amherst, Mass.; d. 19 Oct. 1917, Boston, Ga., buried West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta, Ga.; m. Elizabeth Hollingsworth, 20 Sept. 1853 (SEE HOLLINGSWORTH FAMILY)
3. Winthrop Washington, b. 7 June 1831; d. 16 July 1893
4. Emeline Shepherd, b. 11 Apr. 1834; d. 24 Jan. 1910; m. James W. Spence; buried same lot as Walter and Louisa, Griffin, Ga.
5. Elizabeth Amelia, b. 25 Dec. 1836
6. Mary Alzina, b. 12 June 1839; d. 15 Nov. 1905

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WILLIAM WADSWORTH WOLCOTT
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WILLIAM WADSWORTH 8, Walter 7, Gideon 6, Henry 5, Henry 4, Henry 3, Simon 2, Henry 1. William was born 29 March 1829 in Amherst, Massachusetts and died 19 Oct. 1917 in Boston, Ga., buried West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta, Ga. On 20 Sept. 1853 he married in Griffin, Ga., Elizabeth (Lizzie) Hollingsworth, born 15 Aug. 1830 in Griffin and died 1 Oct. 1919, Atlanta, Ga., buried West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta, Ga. Elizabeth (Lizzie) was the daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Ann Jane Carr (Rogers) Hollingsworth. (NOTE: Some genealogies have stated that Elizabeth Hollingsworth's birth date was 1833 - this is incorrect! The correct date is 15 Aug. 1830. This per Elizabeth Hollingsworth Wolcott's own Bible, in her own handwriting - 1830, also, her tomstone.) (SEE HOLLINGSWORTH FAMILY).

William Wadsworth Wolcott was a medical doctor, lived in Griffin, Ga. and I am the owner of a number of his personal papers (originals), also, his eye glasses! Among some of these papers are a card issued by Reform Medical College, Macon, Ga. for lectures on Physiology and Pathology, dated 1858-9, a License to practice Medicine and Surgery in Georgia, issued by Botanico-Medical Board of Georgia, dated 1 March 1860, also, a Confederate Soldier's License, Georgia-Spalding County (Griffin) dated 10th Sept. 1901, "to make and sell a salve".

William served in the Confederate Army, but was discharged when the people of Spalding County sent a petition to then Governor Joseph Brown of Georgia requesting that he be allowed to return home, inasmuch as there was no other doctor in the area. Governor Brown honored this request and William returned to administer to the needs of the people of Spalding County. This Petition is at the Georgia State Archives in Atlanta.

As the Northern Army approached Atlanta, during the War Between the States, William knew he would be needed and he again headed toward Atlanta, on horseback, with his medical bag and instruments. On the road he met another doctor friend, apparently one he had served with before; he told this doctor that he was going to fight for the South. The doctor replied, "Hell, man, we need you much more at the Hospital!" So, that is exactly where he went! He served at the Fairgrounds Hospital in Atlanta when the city was burned by General Sherman, and stayed there until the wounded were attended to - at which time he again returned home.

On his service record at the Georgia Archives, there is no mention of his serving during the Battle of Atlanta because he was not back in service officially at that time. This is common knowledge in the family, having been handed down to each generation. To my knowledge this information has never been printed. This story was again told to me after my mother died by a first cousin of my mother, Ruth Wolcott,who lived in Boston, Ga. as a child and later taught school in the Atlanta area.

Years ago, as older relatives were not able to maintain their own homes, they "lived around". Therefore, my great grandparents, William and Elizabeth, lived for months at a time with different children. They spent many months at the home of my grandparents in Atlanta, also they spent many months at the homes of a daughter and son who lived in Boston, Ga., next door to each other. My cousin told me that, as a child, she would sit on the front porch swing at their home

in Boston, with her grandfather (William) and he would tell her stories of the war - the above is one of these stories.

William, being a physician, produced a "salve". This was his own invention, and he had it patented. The name of the salve was called "Grandmother's Salve" and for many years it was sold in drug stores all over the southeast. After his death, my grandfather, William's oldest son, continued to make and sell the salve.

William was a many talented man. In addition to the above, he was a cabinetmaker. His handmade furniture was lovely! While still living in Griffin, William perfected what was later called the "Wolcott Chair", three slats, cane cottage chairs. According to an old brochure I own for the "Wolcott Chairs" it states "William W. Wolcott, first made the Wolcott Chair, and established the sound methods of construction that have caused the Wolcott chairs to give such remarkable service. His son, Walter B. Wolcott, is now actively engaged in making the Wolcott Chair - now, as it always has been the 'chair' that lasts a lifetime." The Griffin facility burned, and years later, a new company developed. It was in Rex, Ga. and was called the Estes-Wolcott Company. My grandfather, Walter Barnett Wolcott, eldest son of William, made a small straight chair and a small rocking chair for each of his grandchildren, as they were born. To this day I still have my little straight "Wolcott Chair" made for me by my grandfather, and referred to all my life as my "Granddaddy chair".

William was also a poet and the only work I have by him is entitled "Some Plain Truths Told in Rhymes, About These and Other Times and Wolcott's Cottage Chair". This was published in the Griffin Daily Sun, 16th July 1882. It is a three page, legal size, two columned work and foretells of things to come! At the bottom of this work is "WOLCOTT'S COTTAGE CHAIR is made by Osborn & Wolcott, Griffin, Georgia". NOTE: Osborn is Charles H. Osborn, his brother-in-law, husband of sister, Laura Ann.

Issue 7 children:

1. WALTER BARNETT, b. 5 Sept. 1854, Griffin, Ga.; d. 21 Oct. 1927, Rex, Ga., buried West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta, Ga.; m. 9 Dec. 1875, Martha Green Leftwich (SEE LEFTWICH LFAMILY).
2. Joseph Hanford, b. 6 Jan. 1857, Newnan; d. 24 May 1928, Boston, Ga.; m. (1) Fannie Swann; m. (2) Nannie Mina Fambrough.
3. Laura Elizabeth, b. 23 Nov. 1859; d. 12 Sept. 1909; m. Henry H. Geiger
4. John Winthrop, b. 25 Jan. 1863, Conyers, Ga.; d. 21 June. 1936, Griffin, Ga.;m. 10 Oct. 1889, Griffin, Ella Katherine Barnes
5. Charles Homer, b. 11 June 1867, Conyers, Ga.; d. 30 May 1943, Atlanta; m. 15 April 1897, Ella Goodwyne
6. Mary Helena, b. 24 Sept. 1870; d. 31 Jan. 1958, Ocala, Fla.; m. 9 Dec. 1894, Thomas Asbury Fambrough
7. Ernest Eudox, b. 3 Nov. 1875, Conyers, Ga.' d. 29 June 1952, Jackson, Miss.; m. 15 April 1897, Annie Blanche Lee..

WALTER BARNETT WOLCOTT
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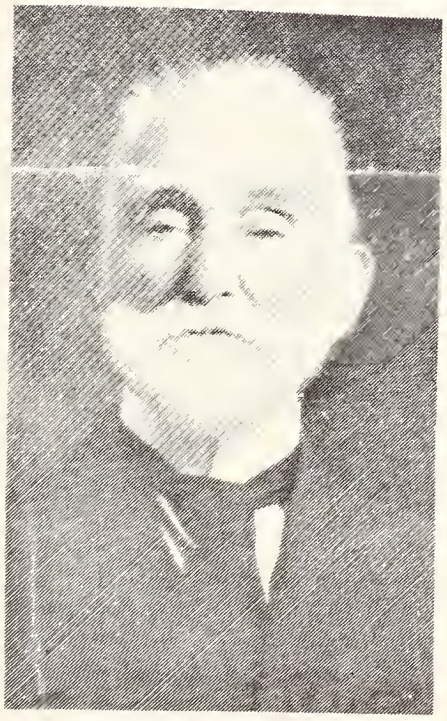
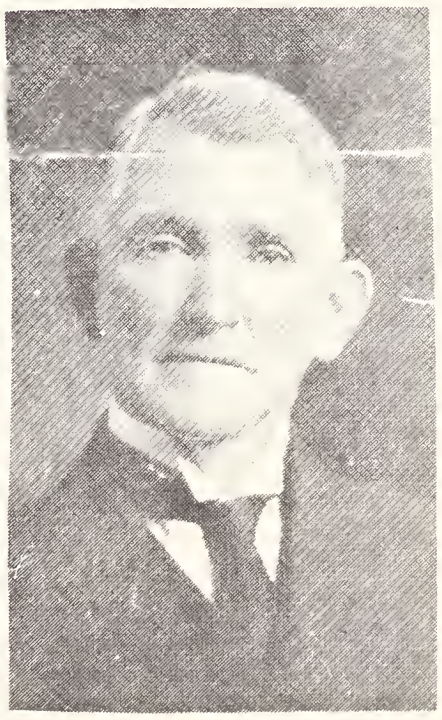
WALTER BARNETT 9, William 8, Walter 7, Gideon 6, Henry 5, Henry 4, Henry 3, Simon 2, Henry 1. Walter was born in Griffin, Ga. 5 Sept. 1854 and died 21 Oct.

WOLCOTT CHAIRS



The Makers of "Life-time Chairs"

At the left is a portrait of the late William W. Wolcott, who first made the Wolcott Chair, and who established the sound methods of construction that have caused Wolcott Chairs to give such remarkable service. His son, Walter B. Wolcott, whose picture appears at the right, is now actively engaged in making the Wolcott Chair—now, as it always has been—the "chair that lasts a lifetime."



From an old brochure of the Estes-Wolcott Company, Rex, Ga., dated July, 1925.

1927, Rex, Ga. and is buried at West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta, Ga. On 9 Dec. 1875 he married Martha Green Leftwich, born 28 Oct. 1855 and died 22 Sept. 1925, Atlanta, buried West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta. She was the daughter of John Monroe and Nancy Jane (Spinks) Leftwich of Newton County, Ga. (SEE LEFTWICH FAMILY).

Walter Barnett and Martha Green (Leftwich) Wolcott were my grandparents. They lived in Atlanta when I was born, and I was born at their home! At that time, my parents lived in Dallas, Texas; I had a sister eighteen months older and there was no one for her to stay with, so my parents came to Atlanta, to her mother's home, for me to be born! My grandmother and one of my aunts assisted the doctor at home at my delivery! Six weeks later, I was told, they took me home to Dallas, Texas - by train!

Shortly after that, my grandparents moved to Rex, Ga., about twenty miles south of Atlanta and that was the home of the Estes-Wolcott Company, the chair factory that I remember. My grandparents, one uncle, one aunt and her husband, lived in the old grey house, second house up from the river, that powered the factory.

At the death of William Wadsworth Wolcott, Walter's father, Walter continued to make the "Grandmother's Salve", learning the process from his father. Another of my early memories is of him, and later my uncle, mixing this on the back porch of the old house in Rex. They used to make this in a large galvenized foot tub, and I still remember watching this being made, also how it smelled! When this was completed and put into small tins, it was the job of any of the grandchildren who were around at the time, to lick the labels and place them on the tins! I remember many times several cousins, my sister and me sitting around the big oak table in the dining room at Rex, licking labels! The ingredients for this salve probably could not be found today for the formula included Mutton Suet and Cranesbill (a root).

Every child in this branch of the Wolcott family grew up with "Grandmother's Salve". Any time there was a cut, or any kind of infection, this was immediately applied. When I was a child, my leg was cut on a rusty nail - no doctor, no stitches, just Grandmother's Salve. This was the most wonderful salve - there were no antibiotics then. Another of my earliest memories is of a huge white cold cream jar containing salve. We lived in Texas when I was small and when we came for the summer to Rex, my mother always took this large white jar filled with salve back with us!

Issue Walter and Martha 9 children: (Because these are my grandparents, I will also list my first cousins and their children.)

1. Elizabeth Jane, b. 5 Nov. 1876, Conyers, Ga.; d. 19 Sept. 1952, buried West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta; m. Samuel A. Beggs; no children.
2. Florence Stelluna, b. 27 Oct. 1878, Conyers; d. 15 May 1934, Atlanta, buried West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta; m. Harris G. White, Sr., 7 Nov. 1900. Issue 5 children:
   - 2a. Florence Lucille White, b. 17 Sept. 1901; d. 10 Nov. 1902
   - 2b. Dorothy White, b. 21 Aug. 1903; d. 30 May 1904
   - 2c. Harris Goodwin White, Jr., b. 25 Sept. 1906; m. (1) Catherine Augusta Cobb, 9 June 1934, daughter of Joseph Lamar and Bertha Mae (Eubanks) Cobb; m. (2) Alice Madge Venita Edwards. No children either marriage.
   - 2d. William Henry White, Sr., b. 8 Jan. 1911; d. Jan. 1987; m. 20 Nov. 1934, Mildred May McLarty, daughter of Marvin Wilson and Carrie May (Gresham) McLarty. Issue 5 children:

2A. Mildred Jeanette White, b. 6 Apr. 1936, Atlanta; m. 27 Jan. 1956 Theron Royuce Rice
2B. Carolyn Virginia White, b. 5 Feb. 1939; d. 22 Feb. 1941
2C. Rachel Frances White, b. 31 Jan. 1942; m. 14 Mar. 1975, Ole Johan Skoglund (from Norway)
2D. William Henry White, Jr., b. 3 Mar. 1946; m. 4 June 1967, Cheryl Ann Conger.
2E. Robert Jackson White, b. 12 Nov. 1949; m. 17 June 1972, Alicia Ann Hardeman

2e. Kathryn Virginia White, b. 2 Aug. 1913; m. 20 Jan. 1934, Joseph Marion Cobb, b. 6 July 1910, son of Joseph Lamar and Bertha Mae (Eubanks) Cobb. Issue 1 child:
2A. Joseph Kenneth Cobb, b. 11 June 1936, Elberton, Ga.; m. (1) 14 June 1957, Mary Belle Watson, 2 children; m. (2) Doris Hitch, no children 2nd marriage

3. Charles Walter, b. 17 March 1881, Griffin, Ga.; d. 13 Sept. 1931, Atlanta; m. 6 June 1907, Carolyn Shirley Baylor, b. 8 Apr. 1882; d. 13 May 1973, dau. of Henry and Ann Baylor of Atlanta. Issue 2 children:
3a. Anne Shirley, b. 19 March 1908, Atlanta; d. 15 Feb. 1980, Darien, Ga.; m. Guy Holt Amason, b. 23 Apr. 1906, Atlanta; d. 23 Mar. 1967. Issue 4 children:
3A. Guy Holt Amason, Jr.; b. 2 July 1931; m. 26 Dec. 1953, Peggy Ann Jenkinson
3B. Charles Wolcott Amason, b. 26 Feb. 1934; Columbia, S.C.; m. 23 June 1961, Anne King
3C. Jackson Lee Amason, Sr., b. 8 May 1937, Atlanta; m. 20 Aug. 1958, Virginia Chase
3D. Caroline Shirley Amason, b. 1 Apr. 1945, Atlanta; m. (1) Stephen Carter Smith, Sr.; issue 1 child; m. (2) Charles Miller Smith, Issue 1 child.
3b. Charles Walter, Jr., b. 9 Oct. 1912, Atlanta; m. 18 Jan. 1940, Annabel Armstrong. No children.

4. Mattie Bura, b. 29 Apr. 1883, Griffin, Ga.; d. 4 July 1923, Savannah, Ga.; buried West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta; m. 23 June 1914, Owen Judkins Terrell. Issue 2 children:
4a. Martha Frances Terrell, b. 20 Dec. 1917, Marietta, Ga., Unmarried
4b. James Monroe Terrell, b. 25 June 1919, Marietta, Ga.; m. 22 Aug. 1942, St. Louis, Mo., Nellie Ida Frueh; issue 4 children:
4A. Anita Hope Terrell, b. 2 Sept. 1943, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.; m. Errol Jude Ponthier, 18 June 1963, Abbeville, La.
4B. Kenneth James Terrell, b. 27 Apr. 1946, St. Louis, Mo.; m. 8 June 1968, Ware Shoals, S.C., Brenda Kay Gambrell.
4C. Lawrence Allen Terrell, b. 8 Oct. 1948, Atlanta; m. 21 June 1969, Ware Shoals, S.C., Linda Anne O'Dell
4D. Evelyn Louise Terrell, b. 7 Dec. 1951, Calhoun, Ga.; m. 27 June 1970, Ware Shoals, S.C., Stanley Durant Taylor

5. William Leftwich, b. 14 Oct. 1885, Griffin, Ga.; d. 11 April 1957, Milledgeville, Ga., buried West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta, Ga., Unmarried.

6. MAGGIE LENORA, b. 29 Aug. 1887, Griffin, Ga.; d. 19 July 1957, Atlanta, buried West View Cemetery, Terrace E., Atlanta, Ga.; m. 24 Apr. 1917, Atlanta, John Chapman Williams, b. 3 Apr. 1888, Tyler, Texas; d. 17 Jan. 1953, Houston, Texas, buried Forest Park Cemetery, Houston; son of Rev. Charles Craig Williams and Flora Lyle (McNutt) Williams. (SEE SECTION I,

WILLIAMS, JOHN CHAPMAN). Issue 2 children:

6a. Margaret, b. 14 March 1920, Dallas, Texas (SEE WILLIAMS, SECTION I)

6b. DOROTHY, b. 29 Aug. 1921, Atlanta, Ga. (SEE WILLIAMS, SECTION I.)

7. Robert Henry, b. 12 July 1891, Griffin, Ga.; d. 15 Apr. 1962, Atlanta, buried West View Cemetery; m. 5 Aug. 1911, Annie Roberta Hall, b. 19 Apr. 1892, daughter of Josiah Benjamin and Margaret (Scott) Hall. Issue 3 children:

7a. Margaret Hall Wolcott, b. 27 July 1912, Atlanta; m. Frederick Boyd Strosnider, 4 April 1942; issue 1 child:

7A. Claire Elaine Strosnider, b. 27 Nov. 1945, Washington, D. C.; m. Richard Garrison Neill II.

7b. Benjamin Hall Wolcott, Sr., b. 24 Mar. 1921, Atlanta; m. 13 March 1943, Marjorie Sue Adams, b. 11 July 1921, Atlanta; issue 2 children:

7A. Benjamin Hall Wolcott, Jr., b. 19 May 1945, Atlanta; m. (1) 14 June 1968, Karen Ann Allerup; m. (2) Mary Nell Akins.

7B. Susan Brown Wolcott, b. 30 Aug. 1947, Atlanta; m. 29 Aug. 1970, Knoxville, Tenn. William Douglas Higdon.

7c. Robert Henry Wolcott, Jr., b. 13 Dec. 1924, Atlanta; d. 22 Oct. 1985, Ocala, Fla., buried West View Cemetery, Section 48, Atlanta; m. (1) Dorothy Ruth Lowndes, 15 Sept. 1944; m. (2) Helen Dorothy Marsh, 23 Nov. 1979; 2 children by 1st wife; no children 2nd wife.

7A. Michael Lynn Wolcott, b. 7 Mar. 1947, Atlanta; m. 10 June 1972, Iva Nancy Fleming.

7B. Richard Lowndes Wolcott, b. 4 May 1950, Atlanta; m. 7 June 1975, Gerrianne Johnson.

8. Laura Olivia, b. 28 Feb. 1894, Atlanta, Ga.; d. 5 Dec. 1972, Jenkinsburg, Ga.; m. James Claude Sulzer, 1 Dec. 1917, Atlanta, issue 1 child:

8a. James Claude Sulser, Jr., b. 25 Nov. 1926, Atlanta; m. 16 June 1951, June Elizabeth Rice, Atlanta, Issue 2 children: James, Jr. legally changed the spelling to "Sulser" its original spelling.

8A. James Leon Sulser, b. 27 May 1952, Atlanta; m. 14 Feb. 1981, Pamela Spearman.

8B. Stephen William Sulser, b. 6 Dec. 1955, Atlanta.

9. Homer Oliver, b. 28 Feb. 1894; d. 27 Oct. 1897, buried West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta; unmarried. Laura Olivia and Homer Oliver were twins.

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CHAPTER XIII

WARHAM, ALLYN, WYATT and COOLEY FAMILIES

WARHAM FAMILY

REV. JOHN WARHAM (WARAHAM) was born in 1592 in England; was baptized 9 Oct. 1595, St. Bartholomew Church, Crewkerne, Somerset. He lived in Witheridge, Devon when he was granted a license on 17 June 1619 to marry Cecilia Hatch, "gentlewoman of Cullompton, Devon." She died in 1634 in Dorchester, Mass.

John was the son of Richard Wareham, gentlemen of Crewkerne and he married Agnes Cook, alias Hooper, on 14 Oct. 1588, at Crewkerne. When he made his Will on 16 Sept. 1623, he was 'possessed of and in divers leased with the manor of Crewkerne of certain lands thereof and some of the lords of the same manor for and during the terme of three thousand yeares, as in and by the same leases more afflordye it maye appeare.' John Wareham was heir to this property. Richard also named his wife, Agnes, his daughter, Magdalen Gibbs, and each of her children, and his daughter, Joan Cossins, and her children. When John left for New England he gave one and a half acres to his servant, Bernard Jefferys, husbandman, for three years. Records show Joan (Johnane), who married Roger Crossens, and Magdalen Wareham, who married George Gibbs, as John's sisters.

John graduated from St. Mary Hall, Oxford, B.A., 14 Nov. 1614 and M.A., 18 May 1618. On 23 May 1619 he was ordained at Silverton, Devon by the Bishop of Exeter. He became the minister of Crewkerne, Somerset, but because of his Puritanism was forced to resign by Bishop Laud, who was then Bishop of Bath and Wells. He then was minister at St. Sidwell's in Exeter. The old church at St. Sidwell's was destroyed during World War II by German bombs, as we discovered when we were there in 1984, and a new church has been built, but the St. Sidwell's large sign out front says, "St. Sidwell's Parish Church,Founded 1510."

Dr. Trumbull's History of Connecticut, p. 396, states that, "Rev. John Warham was about forty years minister in New England; six at Dorchester, and thirty-four at Windsor. He was distinguished for piety and the strictest morals; yet, at times, was subject to great gloominess and religious melancholy. Such were his doubts and fears, at some times, that when he administered the Lord's Supper to his brethren, he did not participate with them, fearing that the seals of the covenant did not belong to him. It is said, he was the first minister in New England who used notes in preaching; yet he was applauded by his hearers, as one of the most animated and energetic preachers of his day. He was considered as one of the principal fathers and pillars of the churches of Connecticut."

When the "Mary and John" passengers assembled in Plymouth before leaving for America, they elected two ministers, Rev. John Maverick and Rev. John Warham. He, and his first wife, Cecilia Hatche, along with son Samuel, b. England; d. 1647, Windsor, Conn.; and, Banks says, two daughters, Mary and Susanna, sailed for America. However, no further mention can be found of these daughters, but it is thought they both probably died young in Massachusetts. The group first settled in Dorchester, Mass., later settled the town of Windsor, Conn. John was a freeman 18 May 1631.

Cecilia Warham, John's first wife, died in 1634, about the same time that Thomas Newberry, who had planned to join the group going to Windsor, died. Thomas' widow, Jane, moved with the group, along with her four daughters, to Windsor. Shortly after, John and Jane were married. John married a third time after the death of Jane, to Abigail, the widow of John Branker, who was the schoolmaster at Dorchester and later Windsor. Rev. John Warham's second wife, Jane, died 23 April 1645, and John died 1 April 1670 and he is buried in the churchyard at the First Church in Windsor. We visited his grave while there in August, 1984. Also, in this same churchyard are a number of my ancestors, including Henry and Elizabeth Wolcott, son Simon Wolcott, and John Bissell.

Rev. John Warham is the ancestor that I chose to use to join the Colonial Dames of the XVII Century, National Number 17532.

Issue 7 children:
By first wife, Cecilia Hatche
1. Samuel, b. England; d. 1647, Windsor
2. Mary, no information
3. Susanne, no information

By second wife, Jane (Dabinott?) Newberry
4. ABIGAIL, bp. 27 May 1638, Windsor; m. Thomas Allyn, 21 Oct. 1658 (SEE ALLYN FAMILY).
5. Hepzibah, bp. 9 Aug. 1640, Windsor; d. 1647
6. Sarah, b. 28 Aug. 1642, Windsor; m. Return Strong, 11 May 1664
7. Hester, bp. 8 Dec. 1644, m. Rev. Eleazer Mathew, 29 Sept. 1659; m. (2) Rev. Solomon Stoddard.

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ALLYN FAMILY

MATTHEW ALLYN
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MATTHEW ALLYN 1. Matthew was born at Braunton, Devon, England; married Margaret Wyatt (SEE WYATT FAMILY) at Braunton, Devon, on 2 Feb. 1625-6; was a freeman March 4, 1635; died 1 Feb. 1670-1. Matthew Allyn immigrated with the original Braintree Company in 1632 to Charleston, Mass., owned several tracts of land near Waterton and Cambridge, being the largest landowner of Cambridge. In 1636 he was a representative at the March General Court, and the next year he removed to Hartford where he was an original proprietor. His house was located on what is now Windsor Street. He owned 110 acres in that and other lots and the first mill at Hartford at the foot of present W. Pearl St.

Matthew was a member of Rev. Mr. Hooker's church at Hartford, but for some difference therewith, probably of a doctrinal nature, was excommunicated, and 3 June 1644 appealed to the General Court for redress. The records do not show how the matter was settled, but it may have been one reason for he and his family to move to Windsor, where he had previously been interested, having purchased, in 1638, all the lands, houses, servants, goods and chattels of the New Plymouth Company at Windsor.

Matthew Allyn was deputy from Windsor from 1648 to 1657; a Magistrate 1657-67; Commissioner for the United Colonies 1660 and 1664; frequently appointed on important Committees by the General Court. On the Charter of 1662, given by Charles II, for the governing and planting of the New England Colony, six of the men named on the committee were founders of Windsor and Matthew Allyn was one of them.

Hinman says Hon. Matthew Allyn was eminently a man of affairs and an active, public-spirited citizen. Few men had more influence or received more honors from people than Mr. Allyn.

When Matthew Allyn died 1 Feb. 1670-1, his Will, dated 30 Jan. 1670-71, made his wife, Margaret, his sole executrix; gave her the use of his estate, and desired his sons and son-in-law, Newberry, to improve it for her; to son, John, he gave his Kennilworth lands, and confirmed to him those lands in Hartford which he had already given to him as a marriage portion. His Windsor house he had previously deeded to son, Thomas, subject to life use by himself and wife; he gave him also a large estate, and provided liberally for his daughter, Mary Newberry, and granddaughter, Mary.

Margaret Wyatt Allyn survived Matthew several years, and on 12 Sept. 1675, she died.

Issue 3 children:

1. John, d. 11 Nov. 1696; m. (1) Ann Smith; m. (2) Hannah Welles
2. THOMAS, b. 1635; d. 14 Feb. 1696; m. 21 Oct. 1658, Abigail Warham (SEE WARHAM FAMILY)
3. Mary, d. 14 Dec. 1703; m. 11 June 1646 Capt. Benjamin Newberry

THOMAS ALLYN
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THOMAS 2, Matthew 1. Thomas Allyn, Captain, son of Honorable Matthew and Margaret (Wyatt) Allyn, was a listed Trooper, was made freeman 1658. After his father's death he occupied the homestead in Windsor. On 21 Oct. 1658 he married Abigail Warham, daughter of Rev. John and Jane (Dabinott) Warham. Abigail was bp. 27 May 1638, Windsor.

Issue 9 children:

1. John, b. 17 Aug. 1659; d. 4 Oct. 1659
2. Matthew, b. 5 Jan. 1660; m. Elizabeth Wolcott 5 Jan.1686; d. 17 Feb. 1758
3. Thomas, b. 11 March 1662; d. 6 Apr. 1709; m. (1) Martha Wolcott; m. (2) Joanna ?
4. John, b. 27 June 1665
5. Samuel, b. 3 Nov. 1667
6. JANE, b. 22 July 1670; m. 1 Apr. 1696, Henry Wolcott, son of Simon and Martha (Pitkin) Wolcott (SEE WOLCOTT FAMILY).
7. Abigail, b. 17 Oct. 1672
8. Sarah, b. 13 July 1674
9. Hester, b. 29 Oct. 1676

WYATT FAMILY

MARGARET WYATT, wife of Matthew Allyn, "..was the daughter of John Wyatt, a lawyer of the Inner Temple, London, and his wife, Frances Chichester, daughter of Amias Chichester, Lord of Arlington Manor, was born in 1607." National Society Daughters of the Barons of Runnemede, p. 349.

John Wyatt was baptized in Braunton, Devon, 27 Nov. 1558. Margaret's English ancestry is listed below, and goes back to King Henry I of France. On another line, through Frances Chichester's mother, Jane Gifford, Margaret Wyatt goes back to King Henry I of England, Alfred The Great, William the Conqueror, Charlemagne, and back to Clovis the Ripartian, living in 420.

HENRY I, King of France, m. Anne of Russia and had
PRINCE HUGH MAGNUS, Duke of France and Burgundy, Count of Vermandois, Crusader m. Adelheid, Countess of Vermandois and had
ISABEL DE VERMANDOIS, m. (1) Robert de Bellomont, Earl of Mellent, created Earl of Leicester (Isabel, thru her mother, is descended from Alfred The Great).
ELIZABETH DE BELLOMONT (m. Gilbert de Clare, Earl of Pembroke, and had Richard de Clare "Strongbow") who had by Henry I, King of England
ROBERT THE CONSUL, Earl of Gloucester, a famous hero, who m. Mable Fitzhamon and had
MABLE, m. William de Redvers de Vernon, 6th Earl of Devon, and had
MARY, m. (2) Peter Prouz, and had
WILLIAM PROUZ, father of
WALTER PROUZ, father of
WILLIAM PROUZ, father of
SIR WILLIAM PROUZ, father of
WILLIAM PROUZ, whose daughter
ALICE, m. Sir Roger Moels, and had
ALICE, m. John Wotton, and had
ALICE, m. SIR JOHN CHICHESTER, d. 13 Dec. 1437, and had
RICHARD CHICHESTER, d. 25 Dec. 1496; m. Margaret Keynes, father of
NICHOLAS CHICHESTER, m. Christian Pawlett, father of
JOHN CHICHESTER, d. 22 Feb. 1537/8; m. ca. 1534 Joan Brett, father of
AMIAS CHICHESTER, b. 1527; d. 4 July 1577; m. Jane Gifford, whose daughter
FRANCES, m. John Wyatt and had
MARGARET WYATT, m. Matthew Allyn

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COOLEY FAMILY

BENJAMIN COOLEY
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BENJAMIN COOLEY I. Benjamin was born about 1617, place unknown and died 17 Aug. 1684 in the part of Springfield, Mass. that became Longmeadow. In 1642 he married Sarah, who died 23 Aug. 1684 in Springfield. Benjamin was a selectman in 1646, ensign Hampshire regiment.

Issue 8 children, all born in Springfield:
1. Bethia, b. 16 Sept. 1643; m. 5 Dec. 1664 Henry Chapin

2. Obadiah, b. 27 Jan.1646/7
3. Eliakim, b. 8 Jan. 1648-9; m. Hannah Tibbals
4. Daniel, b. 2 May 1651; m. Elizabeth Wolcott
5. Sarah, b. 27 Feb. 1653/4; m. 15 Jan. 1679 Jonathan Morgan
6. BENJAMIN II, b. 1 Sept. 1656; d. Springfield, 29 Nov. 1731; m. Abigail Bagg, 7 Feb. 1694/5
7. Mary, b. 22 June 1659
8. Joseph, b. 6 Mar. 1661/2

BENJAMIN COOLEY
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BENJAMIN COOLEY II, Benjamin 1. Benjamin II was the son of Benjamin and Sarah Cooley, was born 1 Sept. 1656 and died 29 Nov. 1731. He took the oath of allegiance 31 Dec. 1678, was a Freeman in 1690, served as a Juror in 1684. On 7 Feb. 1694/5 Benjamin married Abigail Bagg, daughter of John and Hannah (Burt) Bagg. Abigail was born 23 April 1673 and died 27 Jan. 1738/9.

"Bagg is frequently spelled Bagge in England, where it flourished in Norfolk-shire and Plymouth since Robert LeBagge of Caen in Normandy, came with William the Conqueror, according to an article on the family by Lyman Hotchkiss Bagg. The name in Ole English signified a badge. The earliest name of Bagg in America is John Bagg, who married 24 Dec. 1657, Hannah Burt, in Springfield, who was born 28 Apr. 1641 and died 1 Aug. 1680, issue 10 children. John Bagg died 5 Sept. 1683, presumably between 45-50 years old at the time of his death." The Cooley Genealogy, compiled by Vivien Bulloch Keatley, p. 198.

The following references are taken from the History of Springfield by Burt:

> "Att a meeting of the inhabitants of this Towne (Springfield)....21 Nov. 1701; Benjamin Cooley junr and Daniel Cooley, his brother, desires the town to grant them Ten Acres of Land apeice on the hill Easterly of their house.
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> "Here followes a Coppy of ye Address of the Inhabitants of Longmeador in Springfield to the Towne. January ye 29th 1702-3....We would declare our difficult circumstances....Now for our releife we do Suppose our best way is to move out of the general feild and build on the hil against Longmeadow. (One of the 13 signers was Benjamin Cooley).
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> "March 12th Anno Dom. 1705-6 At a General Town meeting for Elections of Officers for the Town of Springfield....Benja. Cooley Junr....chosen Surveyor of the high ways. (He was again chosen Surveyor Mar. 8, 1714-15.)
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> "March 13, 1710-11. This being the meeting for the Election of Town officers and for the ensuing year....Benjamin Cooley Junr is granted to have Ten acres of Land at the South side of Pacowseek brook joining to his father Cooleys land there, saveing former grants and high wayes, and he improving the said grant within the terme of five yeeres, otherwise the Grant is void."

Issue 6 children:

1. ABIGAIL, b. 28 Oct. 1695; m. 27/28 Dec. 1716 in Windsor, Conn. Henry Wolcott, Jr., son of Henry and Jane (Allyn) Wolcott. (SEE WOLCOTT FAMILY).

2. Daughter, b. 26 Oct.; d. 27 Oct. 1697
3. Daughter, b. and d. 23 Aug. 1698
4. Son, b. and d. 24 Nov. 1699
5. Daughter, b. and d. 25 Apr. 1705
6. Lydia, b. 5 Sept. 1706; m. 1 Jan. 1729/30 Amos Stiles

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CHAPTER XIV

ALLEN and HANNUM FAMILIES

ALLEN FAMILY

SAMUEL ALLEN
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SAMUEL ALLEN was born about 1588 in England, probably Braintree, Essex, and came to America on the Mary and John as a young man. He married Ann, surname unknown, at Dorchester, Mass. He came to Windsor, Conn. about 1640. There are references in various books that state that Samuel is the brother of Matthew Allyn and Thomas Allyn, but I have found no proof of this. Samuel did have a brother, Deacon Thomas Allen of Middletown, Conn. who raised Samuel's youngest son, Obadiah.

The first official record for Samuel was when he was granted land in Windsor on 27 Jan. 1640. His homesite, in 1907, was occupied by the Windsor Public Library. Samuel was buried 28 April 1648, at Windsor. In 1650 Ann married William Hulbert, a Mary and John passenger; she died 13 Nov. 1687.

Issue 6 children:

1. Samuel, Jr., b. 1634; m. Hannah Woodford, 29 Nov. 1659; d. 18 Oct. 1719, Northampton, Mass.
2. Nehemiah; d. 27 Nov. 1684; m. Sarah Woodford, 21 Sept. 1664
3. JOHN, d. 18 Sept. 1675; m. Mary Hannum 8 Dec. 1669 (SEE HANNUM FAMILY)
4. Rebecca, d. 8 May 1697; Unmarried
5. Mary, d. young
6. Obadiah, b. about 1644; m. (1) Elizabeth Sanford; m. (2) Mary Savage. He was about four when his father died and when his mother remarried, he went to be raised by his uncle, Thomas, in Hartford.

JOHN ALLEN
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JOHN 2, Samuel 1. John, son of Samuel and Ann Allen, married Mary Hannum, 8 Dec. 1669, daughter of William and Honor (Capen) Hannum (SEE HANNUM FAMILY). John was killed by Indians 18 Sept. 1675 at the battle of Bloody Brook, near Deerfield, Mass.

Issue 3 children:

1. John, Jr., b. 30 Sept. 1670; m. (1) Bridget Boot; m. (2) Elizabeth Gardner
2. SAMUEL, b. 5 Feb. 1673, Northampton; d. 1735 Enfield, Conn.; m. Hannah Burrough, 1700.
3. Hannah Allen, bp. 20 June 1675; m. John Broughton, 19 Nov. 1691

SAMUEL ALLEN
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SAMUEL 3, John 2, Samuel 1. Samuel, son of John and Mary (Hannum) Allen, was

born 5 Feb. 1673, Northampton and died in 1735. In 1700 he married Hannah Burrough, who was born in 1675. About 1700 they moved to Enfield, Conn. to excape the Indians.

Issue 5 children:
1. Samuel, Jr., b. 1702, Enfield; d. 20 Dec. 1771; m. Elizabeth Booth, 27th Jan. 1728
2. JOSEPH, b. 30 July 1704, Enfield; d. 11 June 1777; m. Mary Hewlett 1723
3. Hannah, b. 13 Nov. 1706, Enfield; d. young
4. John, b. 30 July 1712, Enfield; m. Elizabeth Pease; d. 1791, Enfield
5. Hannah, b. 5 Dec. 1715; d. 19 Sept. 1717

JOSEPH ALLEN
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JOSEPH 4, Samuel 3, John 2, Samuel 1. Joseph, son of Samuel and Hannah (Burrough) Allen, was born 30 July 1704 in Enfield, Connecticut and died 11 June 1777. In 1723 Joseph married Mary Hewlett, daughter of John and Hannah (Whittaker) Hewlett. Mary was born 12 July 1703 and died 28 June 1782, E. Windsor, Conn. Joseph, along with his brother, Samuel, manufactured tar and pitch in Windsor.

Issue 8 children:
1. Hannah, b. 1724, Enfield; d. 22 Nov. 1779, E. Windsor; m. Caleb Booth, Jr. 30 Jan. 1746
2. Joseph, Jr., b. 4 Sept. 1727; m. Lois Burham 17 Jan. 1755
3. Noah (Captain), b. 15 May 1730; d. 27 Oct. 1776; m. Anna Root, 20 March 1756, she d. 10 Oct. 1806
4. David, b. 22 Nov. 1734; d. 9 Apr. 1789; m. (1) Mary Bancroft; m. (2) Miriam Parsons
5. Samuel, b. 8 June 1736; d. 10 Oct. 1816, E. Windsor; m. (1) Elizabeth Wells; m. (2) Sarah Booth
6. Hezekiah, b. 8 Oct. 1739; d. 14 June 1807, E. Windsor; m. Abigail Bartlett
7. Mary, b. E. Windsor; m. Matthew Thompson
8. DORCAS, b. 10 June 1742; d. 9 May 1822, E. Windsor; m. Henry Wolcott III (SEE WOLCOTT FAMILY)

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HANNUM FAMILY

WILLIAM HANNUM, b. about 1600, probably Caundle Purse, Dorset, England and died 1 June 1677 in Northampton, Mass. He married Honor Capen about 1635. She was the daughter of Bernard and Joan (Purchase) Capen of Dorchester, Dorset, England, and Dorchester, Mass. Honor (Capen) Hannum died in 1680 at Westfield, Mass.

According to the New England Historical and Genealogical Register, Vol. IV, Bernard and Joan Capen are buried in Dorchester, Mass. and their graves are the oldest in New England, other than those in Plymouth. Bernard was born in 1562 and died 8 Nov. 1638, at age 76, at Dorchester. Bernard and Joan were married

in 1596. Joan Purchase was born in 1578 and died 26 Mar. 1653, age 75. She was the daughter of Oliver Purchase and his wife, Thomasine Harris, of Dorchester, England.

William Hannum was a passenger aboard the Mary and John in 1630, came alone to America, at age 30. He first settled in Dorchester and married Honor Capen in 1635. He moved to Windsor, Conn. in 1639 and sold his land in Dorchester to James Humphries. His family remained in Dorchester for a time before moving to Windsor, then in 1654 they again moved to Northampton, Mass.

In 1656 William and Honor testified in the case of Joseph Parsons against Sarah, wife of James Bridgeman. Sarah was charged with slander in having called Mary Parsons, wife of Joseph, a witch. In 1661, when William was 60, he was excused from "training, watching and warding" because of bad health.

Issue 5 children:

1. John, b. 1636, Dorchester; d. 19 Feb. 1712; m. (1) 1662 Sarah Weller; m. (2) Esther Langston
2. Abigail, bp. 22 Nov. 1640, Windsor; d. 9 Oct. 1690; m. John Sackett
3. Joanna, bp. 24 July 1642, Windsor, d. young
4. Elizabeth, b. 4 Mar. 1644/5, Windsor; d. 5 May 1690; m. Peter Bushrod
5. MARY, bp. 5 Apr. 1650, Windsor; d. 10 May 1704; m. John Allen, 8 Dec. 1669 (SEE ALLEN FAMILY)

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CHAPTER XV

BISSELL, BLODGET and MASON FAMILIES

BISSELL FAMILY

JOHN BISSELL
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JOHN BISSELL, date of birth unknown, came to America in 1628. He died 3 Oct. 1677 at age 86 and is buried in the old Windsor Church cemetery. The name of his first wife is unknown; she died 21 May 1641. The name of his second wife is unknown; she died 29 March 1665. It is possible that he married a third time.

It is thought that this family is of Huguenot origin. Many of them fled to England to escape the persecution which followed the massacre of St. Bartholomew in 1572. The family in England has one coat-of-arms and it is of a religious, rather than a warlike, character and is thus described in Burke's Complete Armory: 'Bissell, bu., on a bend, ar; three escallops, sa. Crest, a demi-eagle, with wings displayed, sa; charged on the neck with an escallop shell, or. Motto, 'In recto Decus' - in rectitude, Honor.

John Bissell's family, who settled in Windsor, Conn., is the only one of the name known to have come to this country. It is said that this John, with a brother Thomas, came from County Somerset, England to Plymouth, Mass. in 1628. It is not certain what became of Thomas.

John was the founder of the Windsor line, settling there before 1640. In 1648/9 he received a grant from the Colonial Court to run a ferry across the Connecticut River, located on the East side, near the wharf belonging to the Quarry Co. In 1662 he gave his homestead, with the ferry, in Old Windsor to his son, John, and moved with his son, Nathaniel, to the east side, below the mouth of the Scantic River. In 1663 John, Jr. asked to be released from his ferry contract, which was granted on condition that some one be found to run the ferry. Records show that in 1677 Nathaniel was the ferryman there; the ferry still being known as Bissell's Ferry and that the location was moved down to the mouth of the Scantic.

Issue 6 children:

1. JOHN, b. England; d. 1688; m. Israel (or Izrael) Mason (SEE MASON FAMILY)
2. Thomas, b. England; d. 31 July 1689; m. 11 Oct. 1655 Abigail Moore
3. Mary, b. England; m. Jacob Drake 12 Apr. 1649
4. Samuel, d. 17 May 1697/8; m. Abigail Holcomb, 11 June 1658
5. Nathaniel, b. Windsor, 24 Sept. 1640; d. 12 Mar. 1713/14; m. (1) Mindwell Moore; m. (2) Dorothy Fitch
6. Joyce, m. Samuel Pinney 7 Nov. 1665

JOHN BISSELL
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JOHN 2, John 1. John was born in England, exact date not known, and died as Cornet of the Troop at "Yorke" (not New York) prior to 15 Oct. 1688. He married

Israel or Izrael (not Isabel) Mason of Saybrook, Conn., daughter of Major John Mason, on 17 June 1658.

There are many discrepancies in the death date of John's wife, Izrael; some records show that she died in 1665; this is incorrect. According to Births, Marriages, and Deaths from Hartford, Windsor and Fairfield by Edwin Stanley Wells, p. 22, it states that the wife of John Bissell SENIOR dyed March 29, 1665; this would be John Bissell, Sr.'s second wife. In the list below of John Bissell, Jr.'s children, child No. 4, Dorothy, was born 10 Aug. 1665 and Izrael could not have died in March, 1665!!

Early Connecticut Probate Records, Vol. V, p.406-408, states, "....that the said housing all of it shall stand in the reversion part of the Estate and be dividable amongst all the children after their Mother's decease."

The questions of John's wife and John's death have been solved in Vol. II, p.352-353of Genealogies of Connecticut Families; article written by Donald Lines Jacobus, M.A. of New Haven, Conn.:

"May I try to set the record straight once again? ....John Bissell, Jr. did not die in 1693 as stated in a recent article, but died as Cornet of the Troop at "Yorke" prior to 15 Oct. 1688 (Colonial Records of Connecticut, 3:91, 450). An inventory of the estate of Lt. John Bissell who 'died at New York, 1688' was exhibited 7 Mar. 1688/9 and a later one on 15 Mar. 1693/4 which, however, was dated 7 Nov. 1688; the distribution in 1693/4 names the surviving children....All the children were by Israel (not Isabel) Mason, the one and only wife, and she did not die in 1663, evidently meant for 1665, when John's step-mother died, but survived her husband. Her administration bond, dated 7 Mar. 1688/9, is in File No. 586 of the Hartford Probate District; in it her name is twice written Izraell and once Israell. At marriage, the recorder, Matthew Grant, spelled her name 'Izrell'. She was admitted to the Windsor Church in 1686 as Israel Bissell. So it cannot be doubted that her name was actually Israel, not Isabel. The name Israel means 'warrior of God' and if her birth was expected when Capt. John Mason left to fight the Pequots in 1637 (quite likely since she married in 1658) the name may have been chosen before he left and was bestowed even though the child turned out to be a girl."

Issue John and Izrael:

1. Mary, b. 22 Feb. 1658-9
2. John, b. 4 May 1661; d. prior 30 May 1690
3. Daniel, b. 22 Sept. 1663
4. Dorothy, b. 10 Aug. 1665; m. (1) 21 Jan. 1685 Nathaniel Watson; m. (2) Samuel Stoughton.
5. Josiah, b. 10 Oct. 1670
6. Hezekiah, b. 30 April 1673
7. Ann, b. 28 April 1675
8. JEREMIAH, b. 22 June 1677; m. Mehitable White 18/19 Dec. 1705
9. Samuel, no record of birth, but named in distribution of father's Estate and later had probate of his own.

JEREMIAH BISSELL
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JEREMIAH 3, John 2, John 1. Jeremiah, son of John and Izrael (Mason) Bissell was born 22 June 1677. On 18/19 Dec. 1705 he married Mehitable White, sister of

Capt. Daniel White of Hatfield, and daughter of Lt. Daniel and Sarah (Crow) White. Sarah Crow was born 14 March 1883, the daughter of John and Elizabeth (Goodwin) Crow.

Issue 8 children:
1. Rachel, b. 16 Nov. 1706
2. Mabel, b. 16 Jan. 1708
3. JOHN. b. 1 Sept. 1709; d. 15 July 1737; m. Hannah Watson 2 Dec. 1733
4. Sarah, b. 4 July 1711
5. Jeremiah II, d. 25 July 1748
6. Samuel, b. 1722
7. Jerijah
8. Israel

JOHN BISSELL
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JOHN 4, Jeremiah 3, John 2, John 1. John, son of Jeremiah and Mehitable (White) Bissell, was born 1 Sept. 1709 and died 15 July 1737, at age 28. On 2 Dec. 1733 he married Hannah Watson, daughter of Eben and Abigail (Kelsey) Watson.

Issue 2 children:
1. John, b. 21 Dec. 1734
2. HEZEKIAH, b. 20 May 1737; d. 14 Nov. 1831, E. Windsor; m. (1) Sarah Trumbull; m. (2) HANNAH BLODGET (SEE BLODGET FAMILY); m. (3) Elizabeth Bartlett.

HEZEKIAH BISSELL
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HEZEKIAH 5, John 4, Jeremiah 3, John 2, John 1. Hezekiah, son of John and Hannah (Watson) Bissell, was born 20 May 1737 and died 14 Nov. 1831, age 94 years, and is buried in Scantic Cemetery, East Windsor. He was married three times; first to Sarah Trumbull, who died 26 Oct. 1768; second to HANNAH BLODGET, who died 28 Oct. 1774; and third to Elizabeth Bartlett, who died 16 April 1837. All three wives are buried in Scantic Cemetery, East Windsor, Conn. Hezekiah's Memorial reads "Hezekiah b. 5-20-1737 d. 11-14-1831"; Sarah's reads "Sabra Trumbull d.10-26-1770"; Hannah's reads "Hannah d. 10-28-1774 ae.26"; Elizabeth's reads "Elizabeth b. 11-28-1753 d. 4-16-1837".

Hezekiah was born within a short distance of the spot where he died and in early life took an active part in the French War with the rank of Captain. Records show that "....his mind was a storehouse of the civil, ecclesiastical, and social affairs of the town; and a firm friend of civil, religious and social order, both at home and abroad; and during a revival of religion in 1816-17, at about the 79th year of his age, he became a member of the E. Windsor church. He was a man of sterling common sense and manifested much shrewdness in his observations of men and affairs." History of Ancient Windsor, by Henry Stiles, p. 84, Vol. II.

Issue 9 children:
By Sarah Trumbull (1st wife)
1. Sabra, b. 25 May 1763; m. 9 May 1781, Capt. Walter Goodale

By Hannah Blodget (2nd wife):
2. HULDAH, b. 7 Nov. 1770; d. 29 Sept. 1844; m. Gideon Wolcott 6 Nov. 1790 (SEE WOLCOTT FAMILY)
3. Hannah, b. 2 Feb. 1773; m. 1793 Joseph Olds

By Elizabeth Bartlett (3rd wife):
4. Elizabeth (Betsy), b. 25 Feb. 1777; d. 29 April 1849
5. Ruth, b. 17 Sept. 1780; d. 28 Jan. 1788
6. Marilda, b. 26 March 1783; m. ____Noble, 1802
7. Dolly, b. 25 June 1787; d. 12 Apr. 1842; m. Horatio James, Dec. 1812
8. Hezekiah, b. 9 Dec. 1792
9. John, b. 11 July 1796

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BLODGET FAMILY

BENONI BLODGET
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BENONI BLODGET 1. Benoni came from Woburn, Mass. about 1720. He married Abigail Booth, probably the daughter of Simon and Rebecca Booth. On 4 Feb. 1773, Benoni died at age 79.

He erected a house about 1725 near that of his father-in-law, two miles east of the Connecticut River, and near the Enfield line. It was occupied by five generations of Blodgets.

Issue 7 children:
1. David, m. Jerusha Dickinson of Amherst, Mass.
2. Josiah, b. 1724; d. 25 Apr. 1768; m. Abigail Rood
3. Ebenezer, m. Ann Barber, 15 Nov. 1758
4. ELIJAH, d. 1762; m. HANNAH CORNING of Hollenston, 15 Aug. 1746
5. Abner, b. 1737; d. 25 May 1812; m. Rachel Phelps
6. Rebecca
7. Anna

ELIJAH BLODGET
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ELIJAH 2, Benoni 1. Elijah was the son of Benoni and Abigail (Booth) Blodget. I can find no birth date, but he died in 1762. On 15 Aug. 1746 he married Hannah Corning of Hollenston.

Issue 3 children:
1. HANNAH, b. 3 Aug. 1748; d. 28 Oct. 1774; m. Hezekiah Bissell (SEE BISSELL FAMILY)
2. Susannah, b. 3 Mar. 1751; m. Levi Fish
3. Rebecca, b. 18 Jan. 1761; m. ____Fish

MASON FAMILY

JOHN MASON was born in 1600 in England and died 30 Jan. 1672 in Connecticut. John Mason was married twice; the name of his first wife is unknown, but she must have come from Dorchester with him and died in Windsor some time before 10 March 1638 for the old records state, under date of 17 Aug. 1777, "I find in an ould book that Marc. 10, 1638, it was rekoned from ye beginning of ye plantation hitherto that (date) there has dyed of ould and young, 27; but not their names exprest but two that were members (of the church) and the Captain's wife, of children 16, of servants 8." John Mason married second, Anne Peck of Hartford in 1640, daughter of Rev. Robert Peck, who came from England in 1637.

John Mason was a member of the Dorchester emigration of 1630 and in 1632 the General Court of Massachusetts sent him, with John Gallop, and twenty men, to break up a gang of pirates infesting the coast; for this he was made Captain. In 1634 he was one of a committee to select sites for fortification in Boston harbor and in 1635 he represented Dorchester in the General Court, and while a member of that body, June 3rd, the second application of the Rev. John Warham and the Church of Dorchester to remove to Connecticut was received and granted. In 1637 (from deeds recorded to him at Windsor) he appears to have settled in Windsor. Soon after, the Connecticut River settlement was threatened by Indians and Captain Mason led the gallant little band of settlers in the famous 'Swamp Fight' that crushed the Pequots. For this, he was made Major. The General Court at Hartford created him 'the public military officer of the Plantation of Connecticut' with a salary of 40 pounds yearly. He held this position until two years before he died. In 1647 he moved to Saybrook, which was the post of most importance and greatest danger, and was empowered to have command, not only of all the military, but the inhabitants of the town.

In appreciation for his public services, he was granted considerable tracts of land, 500 acres about Pequot county; the island of Chipachauge (now Mason's island) in Mystic Bay, besides 100 acres of upland and ten acres near Mystic.

Besides his military offices, he was also Magistrate from 1637 to 1641, from 1640 to 1659 he was Assistant, or member of the General Court. For ten successive years, beginning in 1659, he was Lieutenant Governor; at which time he declined a reelection. For two years, during Gov. Winthrop's absence while in England upon the Charter business, he was acting Governor. In 1647, 1654, 1655, 1656, 1657 and 1661 he was one of the Commissioners of the United Colonies (Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island).

Issue 8 children:

1. IZRAEL, b. in Windsor; m. 17 June 1658 John Bissell, Jr. (SEE BISSELL FAMILY)
2. Priscilla, b. Windsor, Oct. 1641; m. Rev. James Fitch
3. Samuel, b. Windsor, July 1644
4. John, b. Windsor 1646; d. from wounds received in Swamp Fight 1676, leaving wife and two children.
5. Rachel, b. 1648
6. Anne, b. June 1650
7. Daniel, b. April 1652
8. Elizabeth, b. 6 Aug. 1854; m. Maj. James Fitch

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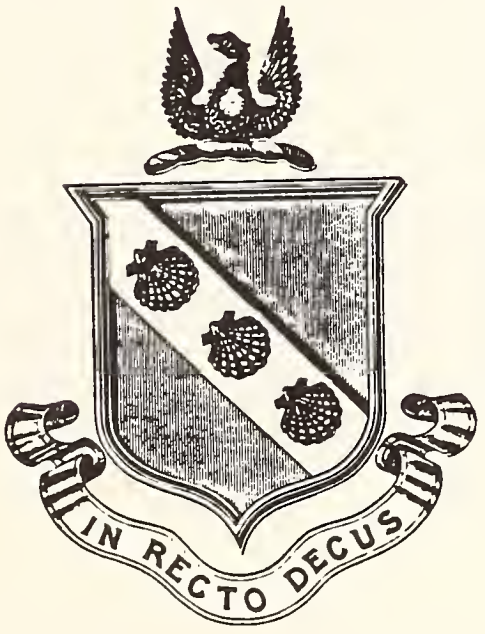

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CHAPTER XVI

WADSWORTH FAMILY

The following reference to Duke Wada in Yorkshire appears in Wadsworth or The Charter Oak by W. H. Goocher, being quoted from Lionel Charlton's History of Whitby, 1779. "During the course of these civil wars, some little time before the year 800, one of the chief leaders or heads of the faction against the government was Duke Wada, who lived in the neighborhood of Streanshalh, having his castle at the place now called Mulgrave. This Wada was one of the principal conspirators among those that murdered Ethelred, King of Northumberland; and afterwards joining the confederates with what forces he could raise, gave battle to his successor, Ardulph, at Whalley in Lincolnshire, but with such ill fortune, that his army was routed and himself obliged to fly for it. On which he fortified his castle at Mulgrave with an intention to defend himself, but being seized with a certain distemper, he soon ended his days and was interred there on a hill, between two hard stones, about seven feet high, which being twelve feet from each other, gave rise to the current report, which still prevails, that he was a giant in bulk and statue." There can be but little doubt that the name of Wadsworth originally signified Wada's or Waddy's residence, Worth, being derived in the Anglo-Saxon from Wyrth, an estate or manor, usually one well watered.

It is said that William Wadsworth told his children that there was a strain of Anglo-Saxon fighting blood in all the Wadsworths, and, "I (William) hope it will never be bred out. Father said it came down to us from the Yorkshire Wadsworths, who traced to Duke Wada." (So stated by son, Joseph).

Burkes General Armory gives us the Wadsworth Coat of Arms:

A shield Gules, three Fleur-de-lis, stalked and slipped, Arragant; The Crest; on a terestriel globe, winged, pr an eagle rising ovr; The Motto: "Aquila non captat muscas". The applied meaning "Our great Progenitors stooped not to small things." Literal meaning: The eagle does not catch flies. Metals: Gold or Yellow, Silver Argent or White. Colors: Red gules, Blue-Azue, Black-Sable, Green-Vert, Purple-Purpose.

WILLIAM WADSWORTH
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WILLIAM 1. William was born at Long Buckley in Northamptonshire, England in 1595, son of William and Elizabeth Wadsworth. He was twice married, first, in 1625 to Sarah Talcott, daughter of John and Ann (Skinner) Talcott. (SEE TALCOTT FAMILY). He was married, second, on 2 July 1644 to Elizabeth Stone, daughter of John Stone and sister of Rev. Samuel Stone. William died in 1675 in Hartford.

He came to America, with Thomas Hooker, on the Lion that sailed from London, June 22, 1632 and arrived at Boston on Sunday evening, 16th Sept. with one hundred and twenty-three passengers, of which fifty were children. He came with his wife; four children, Sarah, Mary, William and John; his brother, Christopher, and his brother-in-law, John Talcott. Christopher Wadsworth's name

did not appear on the Lion's passenger list and the date of his landing was unknown until 1881 when E. S. Cowles, of Hartford, came into possession of a Bible in which the following is written:

"Christopher Wadsworth, His Book.
Christopher and William Wadsworth landed in Boston by ye ship Lion 16th September 1632, together in ye ship." This Bible was printed in London by Bonham, Norton and John Bill, 1625.

William had made a previous trip to America, landing at Newport News, Virginia on 22 Nov. 1621 in the Flying Harte. He came with Daniel Gookin who was a wealthy land owner, a native of Kent.

William was a freeman in Massachusetts 6 Nov. 1632, and in 1636 he went with the Hooker company from Newtown to Hartford and there he remained for the balance of his life. He was an original proprietor of Hartford, his home lot in 1639 was on the west side of the road to Sentinel Hill, what is now the south side of Assylm Street. He was a townsman in 1642, 1655, 1661, 1673; constable in 1651; a list and rate maker in 1668.

Issue 10 children:
By 1st wife, Sarah Talcott, who died shortly after coming to America:
1. Sarah, b. about 1626 in England; d. 1648; m. 17 Sept. 1646, John Wilcox
2. William, died young
3. John, b. ca. 1630 in England; m. Sarah Stanley; settled in Farmington
4. Mary, b. ca. 1631 in England; d. 8 Feb. 1711/12; m. Thomas Stoughton of Windsor

By 2nd wife, Elizabeth Stone (SEE STONE FAMILY):
5. Elizabeth, b. 17 May 1645; m. 22 Nov. 1662, John Terry of Windsor
6. Samuel, b. 20 Oct. 1646; d. 1682; Unmarried
7. JOSEPH, b. about 1648 in Hartford; d. 1729; m. (1) ELIZABETH TALCOTT (SEE TALCOTT FAMILY); m. (2) Mary Blackleach in 1713
8. Sarah, bp. 17 March 1650; m. 10 Nov. 1669, Jonathan Ashley
9. Thomas, b. about 1651; d. 1725; m. Elizabeth Barnard
10. Rebecca, b. about 1656; m. ____ Stoughton

JOSEPH WADSWORTH
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JOSEPH 2, William 1. Joseph, son of William and Elizabeth (Stone) Wadsworth, was born in 1648 in Hartford, Connecticut, and died in 1729 in Hartford. He was twice married, first, to Elizabeth Talcott, on 1 May 1682, daughter of Lt. Col. John and Helena (Wakeman) Talcott. Elizabeth was born 21 Feb. 1656 and died 26 Oct. 1710. He married his second wife in 1713, Mary (Blackleach) (Welles) Olcott, the daughter of John and Elizabeth Blackleach, and the widow of Thomas Welles and John Olcott.

There has been much controversy as to who Joseph's first wife and mother of his children was. Several of the older genealogy books, including Savage's Genealogical Dictionary of the First Settlers of New England, Candee Genealogy by Charles Candee Baldwin and Wadsworth or The Charter Oak by W. H. Goocher, have stated that Joseph's first wife was Elizabeth Barnard. This is incorrect, according to the Hartford Town Records. Joseph's brother, Thomas, was the

husband of Elizabeth Barnard! Joseph's first wife was, indeed, Elizabeth Talcott.

Joseph became a noted courageous leading man of the colony. He was a lieutenant and served in King Philip's war. But he is most remembered with gratitude in our times as the preserver of the Charter of Connecticut. The Royal Governor demanded the Charter, at which time, the lights were extinguished in the Council Chamber, and the Charter had disappeared and our courageous ancestor had carried it away and hidden it in a great oak tree, and since that time known as the Charter Oak.

The story of the hiding of the Charter is recounted in Benjamin Trumbull's Complete History of Connecticut, Vol. I, p. 371-372. "In 1686, the attempt was made by the King to deprive Connecticut of its charter. Sir Edmund Andros wrote from Boston to the Governor and company, asking them, in obedience to the King, to resign it to his pleasure. In October 1687 Sir Edmund, with his suit and more than sixty regular troops, came to Hartford when the Assembly were sitting, demanded the Charter, and declared the government under it to be dissolved. The Assembly strongly objected, and Governor Treat seems to have argued the matter at length. The important matter was debated and kept in suspense until the evening, when the Charter was brought and laid upon the table where the Assembly were sitting. By this time, great numbers of people were assembled, and men sufficiently bold to enterprise whatever might be necessary or expedient. The lights were instantly extinguished, and Captain Wadsworth, in the most silent and secret manner, carried off the Charter and secreted it in a large hollow tree fronting the house of Honorable Samuel Wyllys, then one of the magistrates of the colony. The candles were officiously relighted, but the patent was gone, and no discovery could be made of it, or of the person who had conveyed it away....Sir Edmond assumed the government, and caused the word 'Finis' to be put to the records."

Note: "Mr. J. H. Trumbull thinks Mr. Trumbull, the historian, got his account from George Wyllys, Secretary from 1735 to 1796, with whom he was in constant communication during his writing. George was the grandson of Samuel, on whose estate the oak stands, and who was Magistrate when the Charter was hidden. The office of Secretary was in the Wyllys family for ninety-eight years." New England Historic and Genealogical Register, Volume 23, p. 170.

"There is some record confirmation of the Charter story. Wadsworth produced it to the Governor and Council, May 25, 1698; and he affirmed that he had order from the Assembly to be the keeper of it, it was concluded it should remain in his custody." Connecticut Colonial Records, Vol. IV, p.263.

Another interesting story that should not be omitted from the colorful life of this interesting ancestor and is taken from Trumbull's History of Connecticut, Vol.I, p.393-394, "On October 26, 1693, the royal governor, Fletcher, came to Hartford, having tried in vain to get control of the militia, resolved to try force; and demanded of the assembly the surrender and commanded that the militia be summoned under arms that he might beat up for volunteers. When the train bands had gathered with their guns, the Assembly declined, and Governor Treat was offered a commission, but he refused it. As the train bands were ranged, the tradition is, Captain Wadsworth, the senior officer, was walking in front of the companies and exercising the soldiers. Col. Fletcher ordered his commission and instructions to be read. Captain Wadsworth instantly commanded, 'Beat the Drums' and there was such a roaring of them that nothing else could be heard. Col. Fletcher commanded silence: but no sooner had Bayard made an attempt to

read again than Wadsworth commands: 'Drum! Drum! I say.' The drummers understood their business and instantly beat up with all the art and life of which they were masters. 'Silence! Silence!' says the Colonel. No sooner was there a pause than Wadsworth speaks with great earnestness: 'Drum! Drum! I say' and turning to his excellency, said: 'If I am interrupted again, I will make the sun shine through you in a moment!' No further attempts were made to read or to enlist men. So many people collected and their feelings seems so strong, that the Governor returned to New York."

It is confirmed in Connecticut Colonial Records, Vol. V, p.507, that, "The General Court gave a grant in May 1715 upon consideration of the faithful and good service of Captain Joseph Wadsworth, of Hartford, especially in securing the duplicate charter of this Colony in a very troublesome season when our constitution was struck at, and in safely keeping and preserving the same ever since unto this day, as a token of their grate resentment of such faithful and good service."

Joseph Wadsworth was a Deputy at General Court in 1685, 1694, 1695, 1699, 1703, 1706 and 1715. He received other honors, he was so outspoken that twice he offended the Assembly by too strong a censure of their acts; he was held by all in high esteem for his patriotism and courage.

Joseph and Elizabeth (Talcott) Wadsworth had 6 children:

1. Joseph, b. 1682; m. Joanna Hovey
2. Jonathan, b. 1683/4, died young
3. Elizabeth, m. Jonathan Marsh 1714; d. 1721
4. Jonathan, bp. 20 Feb. 1686-7; m. (1) Hepzibah Marsh; m. (2) Abigail Camp
5. ICHABOD, b. 1688 at Hartford; d, 5 May 1778, age 90; m. Sarah Smith 21 Dec. 1720
6. Hannah, b. 1690; d. 30 Aug. 1786, age 97; m. Aaron Cooke

ICHABOD WADSWORTH
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ICHABOD 3, Joseph 2, William 1. Ichabod, son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Talcott) Wadsworth, was born in 1688 at Hartford and died 5 May 1778 in Hartford at age 90. He married Sarah Smith on 21 Dec. 1720.

Issue 6 children:

1. Elisha, b. 21 Sept. 1721, bp. 24 Sept. 1721
2. ELISHA, bp. 1 March 1723-4; d. 1 June 1803, age 81; m. Ann Cadwell, (SEE CADWELL FAMILY)
3. Hezekiah, bp. 11 April 1725; d. 28 Apr. 1766; m. Milicent Seymour
4. Elihu, bp. 27 Nov. 1726; m. Elizabeth Crane
5. Mary, bp. 8 Apr. 1739; m. (1) William Whiting; m. (2) Abner Curtis
6. Sarah, m. (1) Richard Goodwin; m. (2) William Hall

ELISHA WADSWORTH
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ELISHA 4, Ichabod 3, Joseph 2, William 1. Elisha, son of Ichabod and Sarah (Smith) Wadsworth was baptized 1 March 1723-4 and died 1 June 1803. On 30 July 1749 he married Ann Cadwell (SEE CADWELL FAMILY).

Issue 3 children:
1. Elisha, bp. 28 Aug. 1750; m. Martha Butler
2. JAMES, bp. 28 June 1752; m. Mary Brace, 15 October 1772, Mary b. 14 Mar. 1752; d. Mar. 1823 (SEE BRACE FAMILY)
3. Daughter, d. 21 Jan. 1765

JAMES WADSWORTH
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JAMES 5, Elisha 4, Ichabod 3, Joseph 2, William 1. James, son of Elisha and Ann (Cadwell) Wadsworth, was baptized 28 June 1752 and died 13 Nov. 1803. On 15 Oct. 1772 he married Mary Brace, daughter of Henry and Elizabeth (Cadwell) Brace. James served in the Revolutionary War and was a Minuteman at Lexington Alarm.

Issue 13 children:
1. Mary, b. 28 May 1773
2. James, bp. 5 Dec. 1774; d. 10 Dec. 1774
3. JAMES, b. 11 Feb. 1776; d. July 1821; m. 9 April 1797, Abigail May (SEE MAY FAMILY)
4. Asel, bp. 27 Feb. 1779
5. Richard, bp. 21 Nov. 1780; d. 15 Sept. 1795
6. Horace, bp. Feb. 1782
7. Hezekiah, bp. 30 Dec. 1784; d. 4 Jan. 1785
8. Hezekiah, b. 11 Mar. 1785; d. 17 Oct. 1829
9. Jerusha, bp. 30 Sept. 1787; d. Jun.1813; m. 9 Oct.1805, Will Mulloy
10. Rodney, b. 23 Apr. 1789; bp. 14 July 1800
11. Arel, b. 9 Apr. 1791; bp. 14 Jul. 1800
12. Timothy, bp. 1 Sept. 1793
13. Ann Cadwell, b. 18 Dec. 1795; bp. 14 Jul. 1800

JAMES WADSWORTH
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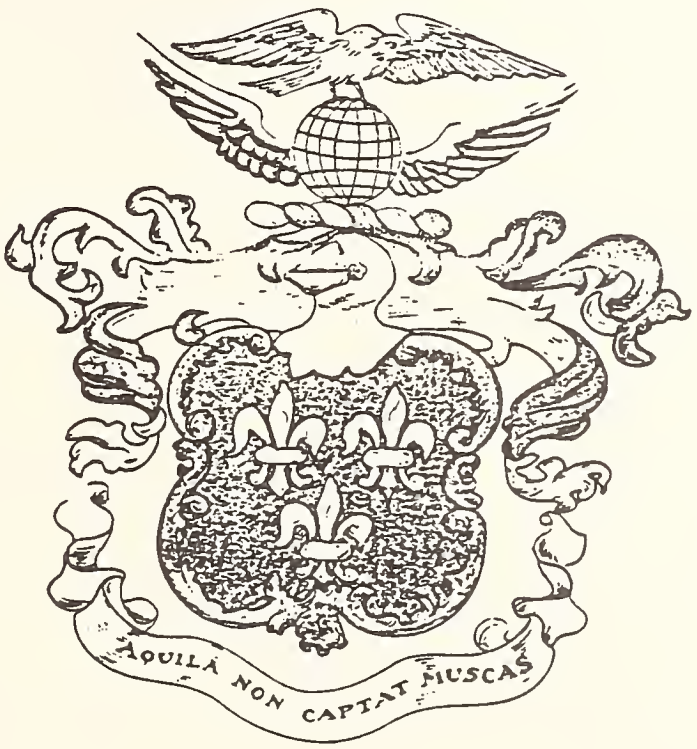
JAMES 6, James 5, Elisha 4, Ichabod 3, Joseph 2, William 1. James, son of James and Mary (Brace) Wadsworth, was born 11 Feb. 1776, baptized 14 Apr. 1776, and died in July 1821. On 9 April 1797 James married Abigail May (SEE MAY FAMILY), daughter of Samuel and Rhoda (Roberts) May. Abigail was born 1 Jan. 1780 and died 25 June 1808, just three days after their youngest child, Laura B. (my great, great grandmother) was baptized.

Issue 6 children:
1. Mary, b. 9 Apr. 1799; d. 6 Oct. 1871; m. John Howe
2. Richard
3. Walter, b. 5 Mar. 1801, Hartford; d. 5 Nov. 1875, Decatur, Ga.; m. (1) 1821, Eleanor Elizabeth Spencer; m. (2) Nancy Johnson
4. William
5. Emeline; m. William Sparts
6. LAURA BOARDMAN; bp. 22 June 1808; d. 3 Sept. 1839, Decatur, Ga., buried on lot of her brother, Walter Wadsworth, in Decatur City Cemetery; m. WALTER WOLCOTT (SEE WOLCOTT FAMILY)

NOTE: Information has been found that states that these children were descended from William Brewster, the Mayflower Pilgrim, through his son Love and his wife, Sarah Collier, through their daughter, Sarah Brewster and her husband, Benjamin Bartlett, BUT I have not been able to further trace this. Perhaps some other researcher can bring this to a conclusion.

NOTE: From the Early History of Decatur by Levi Willard, p.14, "Walter Wadsworth owned the tan yard. He was not a tanner by trade, but a tinner. He came to Decatur in 1827 and was employed by Eskew and Reece, as a journeyman tinner for some time and afterwards set up in the tinning business for himself. He was engaged in the manufacture of tin when Sherman's army entered Decatur. The soldiers supplied themselves with what tin vessels they wanted without money and without price.

"Wadsworth and a few more that could not get away were in Decatur when Sherman's army came in, plus a few refugee families."



Wadsworth

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CHAPTER XVII

CADWELL, BUTLER, BUNCE, BRACE, COLLIER, ADAMS, STONE and TALCOTT FAMILIES

CADWELL FAMILY

THOMAS CADWELL
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THOMAS 1., birth date unknown, died in Hartford, 9 Oct. 1694; married in 1658 Elizabeth (Stebbins) Wilson. Elizabeth was the daughter of Deacon Edward Stebbins/Stebbing and his wife, Frances (Tough)(Chester) Smith. Elizabeth was first married to Robert Wilson and was a widow when she married Thomas. Thomas was a freeman in Massachusetts 14 May 1635, lived on a portion of Deacon Stebbins home lot; was a constable in 1662, licensed to keep the ferry in 1681.

Deacon Stebbins was an original proprietor of Hartford, was a freeman 14 May 1634 in Massachusetts, constable 1638, deputy various times from 1639 to 1656. He died in 1668 and Frances' Will is dated 20 May 1670 and 12 Nov. 1673, both wills name "son Mr. John Chester, now living in or near London".

Issue Thomas and Elizabeth, 10 children:

1. Mary, b. 8 Jan. 1659; m. Jeremy Deckins
2. EDWARD, b. 1 Nov. 1660; m. Elizabeth Butler (SEE BUTLER FAMILY)
3. Thomas, b. 5 Dec. 1661; m. Hannah Butler
4. William, b. 14 July 1664
5. Matthew, b. 5 Oct. 1668; m. Abigail Beckley
6. Abigail, b. 26 Nov. 1670; m. John Church
7. Elizabeth, b. 1 Dec. 1672
8. SAMUEL, b. 30 Apr. 1675; m. 16 Mar. 1707-8, Mary Clark
9. Hannah, b. 22 Aug. 1677
10. Mehitabel, b. 12 Jan. 1679; m. Samuel Boardman

EDWARD CADWELL
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EDWARD 2, Thomas 1. Edward, son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Stebbins) Cadwell, was born 1 Nov. 1660 and died in 1719. He married Elizabeth Butler in 1681 in Hartford. (SEE BUTLER FAMILY)

Issue 6 children:

1. EDWARD, b. 24 Sept. 1681; m. Deborah Bunce (SEE BUNCE FAMILY)
2. William, b. 24 Aug. 1684; m. (1) Ruth Marsh; m. (2) Rebecca Goodwin
3. Elizabeth, b. 5 Dec. 1687; m. (1) Jonathan Easton; m. (2) Jonathan Butler
4. Rachel, b. 3 Apr. 1689; m. Samuel Welles
5. Child, bp. 5 Apr. 1690
6. John, bp. 15 Aug. 1697

SAMUEL CADWELL
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SAMUEL 2, Thomas 1. Samuel, son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Stebbins) Cadwell, was born 30 April 1675 and died in 1724. On 16 March 1707-8 he married Mary Clark.

Issue 4 children:
1. Mary, b. 18 Dec. 1708; m. Daniel Olmstead
2. Samuel, b. 1 Nov. 1710; m. Elishaba Brace
3. ELIZABETH, bp. 6 Sept. 1713; m. Henry Brace 15 July 1740 (SEE BRACE FAMILY)
4. Joseph, bp. 29 Sept. 1717

EDWARD CADWELL
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EDWARD 3, Edward 2, Thomas 1. Edward, son of Elizabeth (Butler) and Edward Cadwell was born 24 Sept. 1681 and died 3 Sept. 1751. On 20 Dec. 1704 he married Deborah Bunce (SEE BUNCE FAMILY). Deborah was baptized 31 March 1689 and died 2 May 1772.

Issue 9 children:
1. Deborah, b. 19 Oct. 1705
2. Jerusha, bp. 10 Aug. 1707
3. Jacob, b. 22 Feb. 1709; d. 14 Oct. 1765
4. Nehemiah, b. 8 Apr. 1711; m. Alice Goodwin
5. Edward, b. 5 Feb. 1712-3; m. Ruth Easton
6. Deborah, b. 26 Jan. 1714-15; m. (1) Moses Cook; m. (2) James Bicknel
7. Abraham, b. 13 Jan. 1716-7; m. Sarah
8. Jerusha, bp. 7 July 1723; m. Pantry Jones, 4 March 1740
9. ANNA, bp. 18 Sept. 1726; d. 25 Feb. 1793; m. ELISHA WADSWORTH (SEE WADSWORTH FAMILY)

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BUTLER FAMILY

RICHARD BUTLER
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RICHARD BUTLER 1. Deacon Richard Butler was our immigrant ancestor who came to New England in 1633 from Braintree, Essex, England. He was a freeman in Connecticut 14 May 1634 and in 1642 became a member of Rev. Thomas Hooker's church at Hartford, where he was among the first settlers with his brother, William. In the first division of land he received sixteen acres. He was a juror in 1643-44-47-48 and in 1660-62 was a grand juror. In 1649-54-58 he was a selectman and deputy to the General Court. His home in Hartford was on the south side of Little River, on the corner where the road from George Steele's intersects the road from the Mills to the country, and he owned a houselot and other lands in Wethersfield, Conn. He was twice married, the name of the first wife is unknown; his second wife was Elizabeth Bigelow who died 26 Feb. 1656/7. It is possible that he married a third time inasmuch as his Will mentions his wife, Elizabeth and he did not die until 6 Aug. 1683, being at a very old age at his death. His will was dated 2 April 1677.

Issue 8 children:
1. Mary, b. Hartford, about 1635; m. Samuel Wright
2. THOMAS, b. 1637; d. 29 Aug. 1688; m. Sarah Stone (SEE STONE FAMILY)
3. Samuel, b. 1639, Hartford; d. 30 Dec. 1692; m. Elizabeth Olmsted
4. Nathaniel, b. about 1641; m. Sarah Banbury or Justis
5. Elizabeth, b. about 1643; m. Joseph Olmsted
6. Joseph, b. about 1648; m. Mary Goodrich
7. Daniel, b. at Wethersfield; m. Mabel Olmsted
8. Hannah, m. Joseph or John Greene

THOMAS BUTLER
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THOMAS 2, Richard 1. Thomas, son of Richard, was born 1637 and died 29 Aug. 1688. He married Sarah Stone, daughter of Rev. Samuel Stone (SEE STONE FAMILY). Thomas was a freeman 26 Feb. 1656-7; chimney viewer 1667-8; townsman 1682-1683.

Issue 13 children:
1. Thomas, m. Abigail Shepard
2. Samuel, m. (1) Mary Gilman; m. (2) Hannah
3. Joseph, m. Esther Hubbard
4. John, m. Mary Marshfield
5. ELIZABETH, m. Edward Cadwell (SEE CADWELL FAMILY)
6. Sarah, m. John Day
7. Hannah, m. Thomas Cadwell, 23 Sept. 1687
8. Mary, m. John Porter, 3 Apr. 1690
9. Rebecca, m. Cornelius Hurlbut
10. Margaret
11. Anne, m. Thomas Shepard
12. Susannah, m. John Marsh, 1 Jan. 1707-8
13. Hope, m. William Gaylord

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BUNCE FAMILY

THOMAS BUNCE
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THOMAS 1, was our immigrant ancestor. He was born in 1612 in England, of English-Scottish ancestry. He died before August 1682. He married Sarah, surname unknown, who died Jan. 1693-4. He was an original proprietor of Hartford, coming there before 1639. His home site was near the state capitol. He served in the Pequot war and was granted sixty acres of land for his services by the General Court in 1671 and fifty acres more in 1672. He and his wife were members of the South Church in 1670. Thomas was a chimney viewer in 1646 and 1670; constable in 1648; juror in 1649; townsman or selectman in 1653-61-65; rate and list maker in 1669-1673. In September 1672 he was freed from the obligation of military training being then sixty years old.

Issue 5 children:
1. JOHN, b. about 1650; died about 1733-4; m. Mary Barnard.
2. Elizabeth, m. Jacob White
3. Thomas, m. Susanna Bull, dtr. Capt. Thomas Bull
4. Sarah, m. (1) John White, Jr. of Hatfield; m. (2) about 1668, Nicholas Worthington of Hatfield
5. Mary, b. 17 Sept. 1645; m. (1) Thomas Meakins, of Hatfield, killed by Indians, 9 Oct. 1673; m. (2) John Downing, of Hatfield

JOHN BUNCE
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JOHN 2, Thomas 1. John, son of Thomas and Sarah Bunce, was born about 1650 and died about 1734. He married Mary Barnard, daughter of Bartholomew and Sarah (Birchard) Barnard. Candee Genealogy, p. 207, says, "Mary, daughter of Bartholomew Barnard, of Hartford, who married 1647, Sarah, daughter of Thomas Birchard, and died in 1698....Of Thomas Birchard, it may be said, he was of Roxbury; came in the Truelove from London, in 1635, age 40, with wife, Mary, age 38....was freeman 17 May 1637 when spelling is Bircher."

John inherited the house and barn and the homestead; was admitted, with wife, Mary, to the South Church in 1686; was townsman or selectman in 1701-11-15. His Will was dated 16 July 1730.

Issue 8 children:
1. Sarah, bp. 1 Jan. 1681-2; m. George Olcott
2. John, bp. 18 Nov. 1683; m. Abigail Sanford
3. Jonathan, bp. 10 Jan. 1685-6; d. before 1730
4. Elizabeth, bp. 13 March 1687
5. DEBORAH, bp. 31 March 1689; d. 2 May 1772; m. Edward Cadwell (SEE CADWELL FAMILY)
6. James, bp. 12 March 1692-3; m. Elizabeth Barnard King
7. Jacob, bp. 28 Oct. 1694, died before 1730
8. Abigail, bp. 30 Nov. 1701

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BRACE FAMILY

STEPHEN BRACE
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STEPHEN BRACE 1, came from London and settled in Hartford about 1660. He was of good standing, owned land at Rocky Hill, Great Meadow and other places. His lot in Hartford was 13 Charter Street in 1673; he lived near Little River. He was by trade a hatter.

Stephen died in 1692 and his widow, Elizabeth, survived him. The inventory of her Estate is dated 5 Oct. 1724.

Issue 7 children:
1. Stephen, m. Sarah Lane

2. John, b. 1677; m. Mary Webster
3. HENRY, d. 1751; m. Ann Collyer, 30 Jan. 1706 (SEE COLLYER FAMILY)
4. Elishaba, m. Samuel Bliss as his 2nd wife
5. Phebe
6. Elizabeth, m. (1) ____ Tucker; m. (2) Solomon Andrews
7. Ann, Bp. 23 June 1695

HENRY BRACE
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HENRY 2, Stephen 1. Henry, son of Stephen and Elizabeth Brace, died in 1751. On 30 Jan. 1706 he married Ann Collyer; she was baptized 14 Aug. 1687 and died 13 July 1764. After Henry died Ann married a second time to Jonathan Sedgewich on 6 April 1758. She was the daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Sanford) Collyer.

Issue 11 children:
1. Ann, b. 28 Dec. 1706; m. Samuel Stanley, 2 Sept. 1727
2. Phebe, b. 6 Jan. 1707-8; d. 14 Feb. 1707-8
3. Phebe, b. 8 Jan. 1709-10
4. Phebe, b. 28 Dec. 1710
5. HENRY, b. 15 March 1712-3; m. (1) Elizabeth Cadwell (SEE CADWELL FAMILY); m. (2) Dinah (Flower) Merry.
6. Elizabeth, bp. 5 Apr. 1719; m. William Sedgwich, 8 May 1740
7. Zenas, bp. 17 Aug. 1729; died young
8. Abi, bp. 12 Mar. 1727; m. Abraham Sedgwich
9. Zenas, m. (1) Deliverance Goodwin; m. (2) Mary Skinner
10. Ammi, bp. 27 Aug. 1732
11. Elishaba, bp. 4 Sept. 1715; m. Samuel Cadwell

HENRY BRACE
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HENRY 3, Henry 2, Stephen 1. Captain Henry Brace, son of Henry and Ann (Collyer) Brace, was born 15 March 1712-3 and died 2 Sept. 1787 in Hartford. He married Elizabeth Cadwell (SEE CADWELL FAMILY) on 15 July 1740. After Elizabeth died he married a second time to Dinah (Flower) Merry on 4 Dec. 1766.

Issue Henry and Elizabeth, 9 children:
1. Abel, bp. Sept. 1740; m. Kezia Woodruff
2. Joseph, bp. 31 Jan. 1742; m. Jemima
3. Henry, bp. 16 June 1745; m. Abigail Hooker
4. Rhoda, bp. 26 Oct. 1746
5. Reil, bp. 7 Aug. 1748
6. Ann, bp. 3 June 1750; m. Nathaniel Braman
7. Moses, bp. 24 Nov. 1751; m. (1) Martha Howe; m. (2) Anne Hollister
8. MARY, b. 14 March 1752; d. Mar. 1823; m. James Wadsworth, 15 Oct. 1772 (SEE WADSWORTH FAMILY)
9. Susanne, bp. 24 Aug. 1755; d. 4 June 1765

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COLLIER (COLLYER) FAMILY

From the Genealogical Gleanings in England, I find JOSEPH COLLYER, who died in London on 21 August 1648. The children mentioned in his Will are JOSEPH, Samuel, Benjamin and Abel.

JOSEPH COLLYER (COLLIER), son of the above Joseph, was our immigrant. He married about 1662, Elizabeth Sanford, daughter of Robert Sanford and his wife, Ann (Adams) (SEE ADAMS FAMILY). Elizabeth was probably Joseph's second wife. Elizabeth was born 19 Feb. 1645-6 and died 1695-6. Joseph died 16 Nov. 1691.

Issue 10 children:

1. Mary, b. 9 April 1662; died
2. Joseph, b. 1668; m. Sarah Forbes
3. Mary, b. 1669; m. Joseph Phelps; she died 13 March 1697-8
4. Sarah, b. 1673; m. Joseph Pratt
5. Elizabeth, b. 1675; m. Ensign William Bull
6. Abel, b. 1677; d. 1697
7. John, b. 1679; m. Elizabeth Humphrey
8. Abigail, b. 1682; m. Samuel Peck, 6 Mar. 1701
9. Susannah, b. 1684
10. ANN, bp. 14 Aug. 1687; m. (1) Henry Brace (SEE BRACE FAMILY); m. (2) Jonathan Sedgwick

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ADAMS FAMILY

JEREMY ADAMS was born in 1604 and died in 1683. He came to America with Rev. Thomas Hooker from England to Braintree, Massachusetts. He moved to Cambridge where he was a freeman in 1635. He later removed to Hartford in 1636 with Thomas Hooker. He was sent with Captain John Mason to deal with the Indians; was member of the Hartford Train Band until 1665. Jeremy was married three times; his first wife's name is not known; his second wife was Rebecca, who died in 1678; she was the widow of Samuel Greenhill; he married a third time to Rebecca, a widow, and daughter of John Fletcher. She died in 1715, age 77.

Issue:

1. John
2. ANN, m. Robert Sanford, b. 1615, d. June 1676, he came to Hartford in 1645. Ann died in 1682. Their children, Elizabeth, Ezekiel, Mary, Sarah, Robert, Hannah and Abigail.
3. Hannah
4. Samuel
5. Hester
6. Sarah

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STONE FAMILY

JOHN STONE
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JOHN STONE 1, an original proprietor of Hartford; removed to Guilford where he was one of the signers of the original compact in 1639.

Issue 3 children:
1. Rev. SAMUEL, m. (1) Unknown; m. (2) Elizabeth Allen
2. ELIZABETH, m. William Wadsworth, 2 July 1644 (SEE WADSWORTH FAMILY)
3. Sarah, m. Henry Howard, 28 Sept. 1648

REV. SAMUEL STONE
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REV. SAMUEL STONE 2, John 1. Samuel, son of John above, was baptized 30 July 1602 and died 20 July 1663. His first wife's name is unknown; she died in 1640. He married, second, before July 1641, to Elizabeth Allen of Boston who married George Gardner as her second husband. She died in 1681.

Samuel was born in Hertford Co. Herts., baptized 30 July 1602 in the church of All Saints; was educated at Emmanuel College, Cambridge, receiving his A.B. in 1623. There was a Samuel Stone, probably this one, who was curate at Stisted, County Essex, near Chelmsford from 13 June 1627 to 13 Sept. 1630. Samuel came to New England with Thomas Hooker in the Griffin, arriving at Boston 4 Sept. 1633. He was chosen Teacher of the Church at Cambridge 11 Oct. 1633; freeman in Massachusetts 14 May 1634; removed to Hartford in 1636, where he was an original proprietor. He served as Chaplain to the troops under Captain John Mason in the Pequot War in 1637. Mr. Hooker, in a letter to Rev. T. Shepard, mentions the death of Samuel's wife, letter dated 2 Nov. 1640. After Mr. Hooker's death, Samuel was the pastor of the First Church at Hartford until his death.

Issue 9 children:
By 1st wife:
1. John
2. Rebecca, m. Timothy Nash
3. Mary, m. Joseph Fitch
4. SARAH, m. Thomas Butler (SEE BUTLER FAMILY)

By 2nd wife, Elizabeth Allen:
5. Joseph, bp. 18 Oct. 1646, died
6. Lydia, b. 22 Jan. 1647-8, died
7. Son, bp. 29 Apr. 1649, died
8. Abigail, b. 9 Sept. 1650, died
9. Samuel

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TALCOTT FAMILY

The first JOHN TALCOTT I find is John of Colchester County, Essex, England, living there in 1558, who was the son of John Talcott of Warwickshire. The Herald's Visitation of Essex, in 1558, gives the pedigree and arms of this

family. He married twice, the first wife was Alice Welles and the second wife was Maria Pullen who died 19 June 1625. John was born about 1536 in Colchester, England and died 1 Nov. 1606 in England.

Issue 9 children:
By first wife, Alice Welles:
1. JOHN, m. Anne Skinner
2. Robert, m. Joanna Drane
3. Daughter, m. ____ Barnard by 2nd marriage
By 2nd wife, Maria Pullen:
4. Thomas, m. Margaret or Martha Biggs
5. Grace, m. John Death
6. Joanna, m. ____Knewstuble
7. Maria, m. ____ Marshall
8. Eme, m. Thomas Adler
9. John of Madrid, Spain, alive in 1625

The second JOHN TALCOTT was born in Colchester, England, birth date unknown. His Will was proved in England 24 January 1604. By trade, he was a Pewterer. John was married to Anne Skinner, daughter of William and Margery Skinner. She was born in 1570 in Colchester, England and died 6 April 1637 in England. Anne's father, William, died 14 Aug. 1616 and Margerie died 2 Mar. 1617.

Issue John and Anne:
1. JOHN, m. Dorothy Mott (SEE JOHN -1- below)
2. Rachel, m. John Steel
3. Anne
4. Mary, m. Begat Eggleston
5. Grace
6. SARAH, b. 1598, Colchester, England; d. about 1632 in Boston; m. William Wadsworth in 1625. (SEE WADSWORTH FAMILY)

JOHN TALCOTT
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JOHN TALCOTT 1. This John is our immigrant ancestor, the son of John and Anne (Skinner) Talcott. John married Dorothy Mott on 18 Dec. 1630. She was the daughter of Mark Mott.

John was born in 1600 in Braintree County, Essex, England; was a minor when his father died and not of age when he is mentioned in the Will of his grandfather who left him 40 pounds to be paid when 21 years of age. John died in March 1660 in Hartford.

He sailed for America in the Lion on 22 June 1632, with Rev. Thomas Hooker's company and arrived in Boston 16 Sept. 1632. Other members of the company were his sister, Sarah, and her husband William Wadsworth and his brother, Christopher Wadsworth. John was a freeman 6 Nov. 1632; deputy to the Massachusetts General Court May 1634, March 1634-5, May 1635, March 1635-6, May 1636; removed to Hartford in 1636; townsman 1638; one of the Committee who sat with the Court of Magistrates, for the first time, in 1637; was deputy every following year until 1654, when he was chosen Assistant; was Treasurer of the Colony 1654-1659; and one of two Commissioners of the New England Colonies.

His son, Lt. Col. John Talcott, states in his memorandum book: "The kitchen that now stands on the north side of the house that I live in was the first house that my father built in Hartford, in Conn. Colony, and was done by Nicholas Clark, the first winter that any Englishman built in Hartford, which was in the year 1635. My father and mother and his family came to Hartford in the year 1636 and lived first in said kitchen, which was first on the west side of the chimney. The great barn was built in the year 1636, underpinned in 1637, and was the first barn that was raised in the Colony. The east side of this house that we lived in and was my father Talcott's deceased was built with the porch that is in the year 1638, and the chimneys were built in 1638." From Families of Early Hartford, Connecticut, by Lucius Barnes Barbour, p. 592-593.

Issue 3 children:

1. Mary, m. Rev. John Russell, 28 June 1649
2. JOHN, m. (1) Helena Wakeman; m. (2) Mary Cook
3. Samuel, m. (1) Hannah Holyoke; m., (2) Mary

JOHN TALCOTT
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JOHN 2, John 1. Lt. Col. John Talcott, son of John and Dorothy (Mott) Talcott, probably born in England, died 23 July 1688. He married, first, 29 Oct. 1650, Helena Wakeman, daughter of John Wakeman and his wife, Elizabeth (Hopkins). John Wakeman, of New Haven, was born in 1601 and died in 1661, was Treasurer of the Colony in 1660. He married Elizabeth Hopkins 28 Jan. 1628/9 in England, she was born 1610 and died 1658. Children I have found of John and Elizabeth were son, Samuel, daughters, Elizabeth, Ellen and Helena. Helena was baptized 23 Dec. 1632 and died 21 June 1674. John Talcott married, second, 9 Nov. 1676, Mary Cook.

Lt. Col. John Talcott was a freeman 1652; townsman 1653; deputy 1660, 1661; chosen Treasurer of the Colony to succeed his father 17 May 1660, which office he held until 1676 when he resigned and was appointed to the command of the troops raised for King Philip's War. He was always victorious and obtained great renown as an Indian fighter. He was one of the patentees named in the Charter of 1662 and that document was entrusted to Wyllys, Talcott and Allyn for safe keeping.

Issue 14 children:

By 1st wife, Helena Wakeman:

1. John, b. 24 Nov. 1651, died
2. John, b. 14 Dec. 1653; d. 30 July 1683; m. Abigail Tibbitts
3. ELIZABETH, b. 21 Feb. 1656; m. Joseph Wadsworth (SEE WADSWORTH FAMILY)
4. Samuel, b. 21 Aug. 1658; died at 22
5. Mary, b. 26 April 1661; m. Richard Edwards as his 2nd wife
6. Hannah, b. 8 Dec. 1663; m. Nathan Gould
7. Dorothy, b. 20 Feb. 1667; m. Thomas Stoughton
8. Joseph, b. 16 Nov. 1669; m. (1) Abigail Clarke; m. (2) Eunice (Howell) Wakeman.
9. Helena, b. 17 June 1674, m. Cyprian Nichols

By 2nd wife, Mary Cook:

10. Ruth, b. 12 Sept. 1677; m. John Read
11. Sarah, b. 16 Nov. 1679; d. Dec. 1679

12. Rachel, b. 23 Feb. 1682; m. Gershom Bulkley
13. Jonathan, b. 15 Feb. 1684
14. Hezekiah, b. 24 Feb. 1685-6; m. Jemima Parsons

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CHAPTER XVIII

MAY FAMILY

JOHN MAY
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JOHN MAY 1. John May, our immigrant ancestor, was born in 1590 in the village of Mayfield, County of Sussex, England. He was the master of a ship named "The James" that sailed between the ports of London and New England, as early as 1635. About 1640 he settled in Roxbury, Massachusetts; that part which was later known as Jamaica Plain. He was a freeman in 1641.

John's first wife's name is unknown; she died in 1651. From the Descendants of John May of Roxbury, Mass., revised by John Franklin May, we find, "The death of his first wife is mentioned by apostle Eliot under date June 18, 1651, where it is said 'Sister Mayes died a very gracious and savory Christian.'"

John's second wife was Sarah, no surname found, who died 4 May 1670. John died 28 April 1670.

Issue of John and his first wife; 2 sons, both came with him to New England:
1. JOHN, b. in England 1631; d. 11 Sept. 1671; m. Sarah Brewer
2. Samuel, b. in England; d. 17 July 1697; m. (1) Abigail Stansfall; m. (2) Mary Duncan.

JOHN MAY
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JOHN 2, John 1. John, son of our immigrant ancestor, was born in 1631 in England and died 11 Nov. 1671. He had been blind for some months before he died. His land was probably the same property that his father occupied, though he had apparently added to it considerably. He wrote his name with a final "s" and this has been erroneously changed to "o"; however, the name is not Mayo but Mays.

John's Will and inventory of his property is in Suffolk, Mass. Registry of Probate. Both John 1 and John 2 mention, in their wills, "carpenter's tools".

John married SARAH BREWER on 19 Nov. 1656. Sarah was born 13 March 1638, the daughter of Daniel Brewer and his wife Joanna Morrill. Daniel was born 1596, and was married in England in 1624; came in the Lion 16 Sept. 1632; and died in 1646. Joanna was born in 1602 and died 7 Feb. 1689 at age 87.

Issue John and Sarah, 7 children:
1. Mary, b. 7 Nov. 1657; m. J. Ruggles of Roxbury
2. Sarah, b. 8 Sept. 1659; d. 20 Dec. 1712; m. Samuel Williams
3. Eleazer, b. 12 Feb. 1662; d. June 1662
4. JOHN, b. 19 May 1663; d. 24 Feb. 1730; m. Prudence Bridge

5. Mehetabel, b. 6 May 1665
6. Elisha, b. 20 Mar. 1668/9
7. Ephraim, b. 23 Dec. 1670

JOHN MAY
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JOHN 3, John 2, John 1. John, son of John and Sarah (Brewer) May, was born 19 May 1663 and died 24 Feb. 1730. On 2 June 1684 he married Prudence Bridge, daughter of John and Prudence (Robinson) Bridge. John Bridge was born in 1635; married Prudence Robinson in 1661 in Roxbury; and died in 1674. Prudence Robinson was born in 1643, the daughter of William Robinson of Dorchester, and his first wife, Prudence, who were married in Dorchester in 1637. Prudence (Bridge) May was born 11 Jan. 1664 and died 26 Sept. 1723.

John May 3, was a selectman and deacon in the Roxbury Church. His gravestone still stands in the old burying ground.

Issue 11 children:
1. John, b. 23 Nov. 1686; d. 1 Mar. 1770; m. Elizabeth Child
2. Samuel, b. 8 Jan. 1689
3. Prudence, b. 29 Dec. 1690; died young
4. Ebenezer, b. 19 Oct. 1692; d. 2 May 1752; m. Abigail Gore
5. Prudence, b. 29 Nov. 1694; d. 1729
6. HEZEKIAH, b. 14 Dec. 1696; d. 5 Sept. 1783; m. Anna Stillman 27 April 1721
7. Sarah, b. 29 Oct. 1698
8. Nehemiah, b. 28 June 1701
9. Mehetabel, b. 27 Feb. 1703; m. John Peaks, Jr.
10. Eleazer, b. 9 July 1705; d. 19 Feb. 1783; m. (1) Dorothy Davis; m. (2) Abigail Sumner
11. Benjamin, b. 1 Mar. 1708; d. 8 Dec. 1774; m. (1) Mary Williams; m. (2) Abigail Gore

HEZEKIAH MAY
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HEZEKIAH 4, John 3, John 2, John 1. Hezekiah, son of John and Prudence (Bridge) May, was born 14 Dec. 1696 and died 5 Sept. 1783. About 1720 he moved to Wethersfield, Connecticut and was a deacon in the Congregational Church there. On 27 April 1721 he married Anna Stillman, daughter of George Stillman, Esq., who was a selectman and representative of Hadley and later Wethersfield. Anna was born 6 April 1699 and died 7 Nov. 1767. Hezekiah lived to be eighty-seven years old.

Issue 8 children:
1. Anna, b. 26 Feb. 1722/3
2. SAMUEL, b. 25 Dec. 1724; d. 17 Feb. 1793; m. Mary Pierce 27 Apr. 1746
3. Prudence, b. 2 Feb. 1726/7
4. Hezekiah, b. 13 Nov. 1728; d. 20 Dec. 1797; m. Mary George
5. Elizabeth, b. 3 Dec. 1730; d. 1803
6. Eleazer, b. 11 Mar. 1733; d. 14 Apr. 1803; m. Sibyl Hutington
7. John, b. 11 May 1736; d. 1757
8. William, b. 21 Dec. 1739

SAMUEL MAY
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SAMUEL 5, Hezekiah 4, John 3, John 2, John 1. Samuel, son of Hezekiah and Anna (Stillman) May, was born 25 Dec. 1724 and died 17 Feb. 1793. Like his father, he, too, was a deacon in the Congregational Church at Wethersfield. He married Mary Pierce on 29 July 1746. Mary was born in 1725 and died 2 Sept. 1790.

Issue 9 children:

1. Mary, b. 5 Oct. 1747; m. Jonathan Huntington
2. William, b. 7 Jan. 1749; d. 3 Apr. 1809; m. (1) Martha Treat: m. (2) Mary Ann Warner
3. SAMUEL, b. 20 Aug. 1751; m. Rhoda Roberts
4. Hezekiah, b. 21 Jan. 1755; d. 18 Oct. 1793
5. Joseph, b. 2 Apr. 1757; d. 9 Sept. 1807; m. Rebecca Stillman
6. Anne, b. 12 Nov. 1759; d. 5 Sept. 1775
7. Charles, b. 17 Feb. 1762; d. ca. 1803; m. (1) Chloe Reed; m. (2) Grace Grant
8. James, b. 18 Nov. 1764; d. 1808; m. Hannah Stillman
9. Lemuel, b. 18 Aug. 1767; d. 2 Sept. 1815; m. Huldah Deming

SAMUEL MAY
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SAMUEL 6, Samuel 5, Hezekiah 4, John 3, John 2, John 1. Samuel, son of Samuel and Mary (Pierce) May, was born on 20 Aug. 1751; he married Rhoda Roberts. Three of the sons of Samuel and Rhoda moved to the "Western Reserve" (Ohio) where a million acres had recently been bought from the government with the soldiers warrants, otherwise of little value, with which the soldiers of the Revolutionary War had been paid off, and where many New England immigrants were then going. Son, Samuel, moved to East Windsor, and son, George, remained in Hartford.

Issue 9 children:

1. Abigail, b. 12 Nov. 1773, died young
2. George, b. 12 May 1775, died young
3. Samuel, b. 18 Oct. 1777; d. Oct./Nov. 1848; m. Clarissa Smith
4. ABIGAIL, b. 1 Jan. 1780; d. 25 June 1808; m. James Wadsworth (SEE WADSWORTH FAMILY)
5. Gilbert, b. 11 Nov. 1781
6. Rhoda, b. 15 Dec. 1783
7. Charles, b. 7 Nov. 1785
8. Oliver, b. 13 Nov. 1787
9. George, b. 19 July 1791

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CHAPTER XIX

HOLLINGSWORTH FAMILY

VALENTINE HOLLINGSWORTH
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VALENTINE HOLLINGSWORTH 1, our Hollingsworth immigrant ancestor, was born ca. 1632 in Belleniskcrannel, Ireland, the son of Henry and his wife, Catherine, of Belleniskcrannel, Parish of Legoe, County Armagh, Ireland. Valentine was first married on 7 April 1655 to Ann Ree, daughter of Nicholas Ree of Tanderagee, County Armagh. She was born about 1628 at Tanderagee and died 1 February 1671. After the death of Ann, he married Ann Calvert, daughter of Thomas and Jane Calvert of Dromgora, Parish of Segoe, County Armaugh.

In 1682 Valentine and his family, his son-in-law, Thomas Connaway, and John Musgrave, an indented servant, sailed from Belfast "in the good ship Antelope" for the Delaware River, arriving a few months after William Penn. He settled on a large plantation of nearly a thousand acres on Shelpot Creek in Brandywine Hundred, New Castle County (now Delaware) about five miles northeast of the present city of Wilmington and not far from Port Christian.

The Hollingsworth family were members of the Society of Friends (Quakers) and soon after establishing himself in America, Valentine was holding the Society of Friends' meetings at the Hollingsworth home. In 1687 he granted "unto friends for a burying place half an acre of land for ye purpose, there being already friends buried in the spot." This area soon became known as "New Rorke" or "New Ark", now Newark, Delaware,

He soon became a very influential man. He was a member of the first Assembly of the Province of Pennsylvania; also, a member of the Grand Inquest of 25 October 1683, to consider the famous case of Charles Pickering and others charged with counterfeiting. He served in 1687, '88, '95 and 1700 in the Assembly from New Castle County; was a Justice of the Peace from the same county; was a signer of Penn's Great Charter and a member of the Pro-Provincial Council.

Valentine died about 1711 and his second wife, Ann Calvert, died 17 August 1697 and both are buried in the old burial ground at Newark, Delaware which he had presented to the Friends in 1687.

Issue 11 children:

By first wife, Ann Ree

1. Mary, b. January 1656, Belleniskcrannel, Ireland; d. 1746; m. (1) Thomas Connaway; m. (2) Randal Malin
2. Henry, b. 7 Sept. 1658 at Belleniskcrannel, Ireland; d. at Elkton, Cecil County, Md. 1721; m. Elizabeth Atkinson
3. THOMAS, b. March 1661; d. 1733; m. (1) Margaret____; m. (2) Grace Cook
4. Catherine, B. May 1663; d. 29 June 1746; m, George Robinson 2 Nov. 1688

By second wife, Ann Calvert
5. Samuel, b. 27 Jan. 1673, Ireland; d. 1748; m. Hannah Harlan
6. Enoch, b. 7 June 1675; died young 1687
7. Valentine, Jr., b. 12 Nov. 1677; d. 1757; m. Elizabeth Heald, 1713, in Ireland
8. Ann, b. 28 Oct. 1680, Ireland; m. James Thompson 1700
9. John, b. 19 Feb. 1684, New Castle, Del.; d. 1722; m. Catherine Tyler 1706
10. Joseph, b. 10 May 1686, New Castle Co., Del.
11. Enoch, b. about 1688; d. 26 Sept. 1690

THOMAS HOLLINGSWORTH
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THOMAS 2, Valentine 1. Thomas, son of Valentine and Ann (Ree) Hollingsworth, was born in March 1661 in Belleniskcrannel, Ireland and died in 1733 near Winchester, Virginia while on a visit to his son, Abraham. It is said that he was killed by a buffalo near North Mountain, eight or nine miles north of Winchester, Va., having gone on a hunting expedition with some of the settlers. His Will was dated 30 Oct. 1723, filed at the Court House in Wilmington, New Castle Co., Del. His home was always Rockland Manor, New Castle County, then Pennsylvania.

He came with his father and settled in New Castle County, west side of the Brandywine River in 1682. He married first, Margaret, surname not known, about 1684 and she died 1 Aug. 1687. His second wife was Grace Cook of Concord, Pa., whom he married on 31 Jan. 1692.

Issue 10 children:
By first wife, Margaret
1. ABRAHAM, b. 19 Jan. 1686; m. Ann Robinson in 1710, daughter of George and Catherine (Hollingsworth) Robinson
By second wife, Grace Cook
2. Isaac, b. 16 April 1693; d. 1699
3. Elizabeth, b. 8 Nov. 1694; m. 1718 ____Stroud
4. Hannah, b. 17 Jan. 1697; m. 1718 ____ Dixon
5. Thomas, b. 23 Dec. 1698; d. 1 Sept. 1753; m. 28 Dec. 1732, Judith Lampley
6. Ann, b. 6 May 1701; d. 1708
7. Jacob, b. 4 Jan. 1704; m. 23 Sept. 1729, Elizabeth Chandler
8. Sarah, b. 7 Aug. 1706; m. 1724 John Dixon
9. Joseph, b. 11 March 1709; m. 1730 Martha Haughton
10. Grace, b. 9 March 1712

ABRAHAM HOLLINGSWORTH
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ABRAHAM 3, Thomas 2, Valentine 1. Abraham, son of Thomas and his first wife, was born at Rockland Manor, New Castle County, Delaware, 18 Jan. 1686 and died in Frederick County, Virginia, October 1748. His Will was dated 23 Sept. 1748, in which he willed 1,232 acres of land. Abraham married 13 March 1710, Ann Robinson, daughter of George and Catherine (Hollingsworth) Robinson 'at ye house of Valentine Hollingsworth in ye said county.'

In 1710 Abraham and Ann moved to Cecil County, Maryland. In 1732 he bought from Alexander Ross, under his patent from the Governor of Virginia, 582 acres of land near Winchester, Frederick County, Virginia, and in 1733, he moved, with his family and other relatives, to this grant. His home was called "Abraham's Delight" and was situated several miles southwest of the present town of Winchester, Va., on a branch of Abraham's Creek, named for him. He built a flour mill, one of the first in the county. He and his family were Friends and attended meetings at East Nottingham, Pa., about 150 miles distance.

From Hopewell Friends History 1734-1934 Frederick County, Virginia, published by a joint committee of Hopewell Friends, assisted by John W. Wayland, p.37-39, we find, "Surveyed for Abraham Hollingsworth 582 acres of land called Abrahams Delight lying within the limits of an order of counsel granted to Alexander Ross and others for 100,000 acres beginning at a white oak a hickory & Red Oak near the head of a meadow....this 23 day of November 1732.

"Most of this land and the foregoing survey are still in the possession of the Hollingsworth family. The tract is, it will be noted, within the land granted to Alexander Ross and others. The tradition in the Hollingsworth family is that Abraham had been living here for a number of years previous to the date of the survey. The historian, Norris, writing in 1889, fixes the date of his arrival as 1729, which may be correct, since the minutes of the Nottingham Monthly Meeting (Quakers), of which Abraham was a member, show that about this time he was under dealings and was absent from his former home. The family tradition also says that Abraham paid three times for this land: First, a cow, a calf, and a piece of red cloth to the Shawnee Indians; next a sum of money to the King's agent; and finally, a sum of money to Lord Fairfax.

"Perhaps this may be an example of the experience of the thirty-six families whose patents have not been found, and who (as the clerk of Hopewell wrote to the Meeting for Sufferings in Philadelphia in 1758, 'tho we have lawfully purchased the lands already of the Several Governments') did not secure a satisfactory title, recorded many years later, and in consequence lost their identity, as members of the Ross and Bryan colony."

The Will of Abraham Hollingsworth, dated 23 Sept. 1748, proved in November Court 1748. "....To wife Ann, to receive the best feather bed, riding horse and saddle; To son, George, 250 acres of land. Being part of 1000 acres. 250 acres of land lying adjoining to the land I gave to Benjamin Carter on both sides of the creek called the Beaver Dam. To son, Isaac Hollingsworth, 582 acres of land. To son, George Hollingsworth, 7 pounds 10 shillings. To daughter, Lydia Neil, feather bed and furniture. Exrs. wife Ann, son-in-law, Lewis Neil, and son, Isaac Hollingsworth. Wit. William Dobbin, James Dunbar, Joseph Lupton."

The Will of Ann Hollingsworth. Will, 2 March 1748, proved 5 April 1749. "To son, George, a piece of cloth that was made betweixt me and my son Isaac, my son George paying for the weaving. To daughter Margaret Carter, a cow and calf and young mare. A quantity of linen yarn I have at the weavers to my two daughters, Margaret Carter and Lydia Neill. I give and bequeath what is left me by my husband unto the above two daughters. Exrs: son George Hollingsworth and son-in-law Lewis Neill. Wit. William Glover, James Knight, Joseph Lupton."

Wills from Abstracts of Wills, Inventories and Administrations Accounts of Frederick County, Virginia, p. 7, p. 13.

Issue 4 children:
1. GEORGE, b. 7 April 1712; d. 1767; m. (1) Hannah McCoy, 19 Dec. 1734; m. (2) Jane Elwell, about 1750
2. Margaret, b. 1715; m. Benjamin Carter
3. Lydia, b. 1718; m. Lewis Neill
4. Isaac, b. 1722; m. Rachel Parkins

GEORGE HOLLINGSWORTH
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GEORGE 4,Abraham 3, Thomas 2, Valentine 1. George, son of Abraham and Ann (Robinson) Hollingsworth, was born 7 April 1712, in Cecil County Maryland and died in 1767 in Laurens County, South Carolina. He came with his father to Frederick County, Va. in 1733.

He married, first, Hannah McCoy, daughter of Robert McCoy, Sr., of Augusta Parish, Frederick County, Va. (SEE McCOY/McKAY FAMILY). From Hopewell Friends History, p. 543, we find, "1734, Dec. 19, First Marriage of Friends (George Hollingsworth and Hannah McKoy) in the Shenandoah Valley." After the death of Hannah, George married Jane Elwell, about 1750.

In 1762 he sold all of his property in Virginia, and he and all of his family, except son, Robert, and his family, moved to South Carolina.

"Indenture dated December 24, 1768, between George Hollingsworth, of Berkley in the province of South Carolina, planter on the one part, and Jacob Hoge of the aforesaid County and Province, planter of the other part.

"Whereas, in and by a certain grant bearing date the 28th day of August in the year 1767 and in the seventh year of his Majesty's reign under the hand of his Excellency, the Right Honorable Lord Charles Greenville Montague, Captain General, Governor and Commander in Chief and over the said Province of South Carolina, and the great seal of the Province for that purpose appointed, did give and grant with George Hollingsworth a plantation or tract of land containing 150 acres on Bush Creek in the County of and Province aforesaid, recorded in the Secretary of States office, now witnesseth, that the said George Hollingsworth for the sum of One Hundred pounds to him paid by the said Jacob Hoge, grants, bargains and sells and transfers the grant to him.

Witnesses:
Jacob Brooks
William Downs
William Gary

Signed:
George Hollingsworth
Jane Hollingsworth "

From Deed Book of Berkley County (now Laurens County) in South Carolina Archives in Columbia.

Issue 11 children:
By 1st wife, Hannah McCoy
1. Joseph, b. 1735; m. twice
2. Isaac, b. 1737; m. Susanna Wright
3. ABRAHAM, b. 1739; d. 1807, Laurens Co.,S.C.; m. Margaret Wright
4. Ann, b. 1741; m. ____ Brock
5. Robert, b. 1744; m. Susanna Rice

By 2nd wife, Jane Elwell
6. John, b. 1755; m. Rachel Wright
7. James, b. 1758/59; m. Sarah Wright
8. Henry, b. 1760; m. Sarah Cook
9. George, b. 1762; m. Jane Henry
10. Nathan, b. 1766; unmarried
11. Susanna, b. 1768

ABRAHAM HOLLINGSWORTH
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ABRAHAM 5, George 4, Abraham 3, Thomas 2, Valentine 1. Abraham, son of George and Hannah (McCoy) Hollingsworth, was born in 1739 near Winchester, Frederick County, Virginia. He lived in Frederick County until 1774, then moved to Dunmore (now Shenandoah) County, Virginia; next, moved in 1777 to North Carolina; later to Laurens County, South Carolina. Abraham married Margaret Wright in 1762 in Virginia.

Issue 5 children:
1. George, b. 3 October 1763; m. Susannah
2. JOSEPH, b. 22 Sept. 1765; d. 8 April 1844, Newton County, Georgia; m. 1789 Rosannah Nichols, of Laurens County, S.C.
3. Robert, b. 22 Nov. 1767, Frederick Co., Va.; m. 1791 Jennie Hamilton
4. Levi, b. 11 July 1771, Frederick Co., Va.
5. Jemima, b. 25 Sept. 1773, Frederick Co., Va.

JOSEPH HOLLINGSWORTH
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JOSEPH 6, Abraham 5, George 4, Abraham 3, Thomas 2, Valentine 1. Joseph, son of Abraham and Margaret (Wright) Hollingsworth, was born 22 Sept. 1765 in Frederick County, Virginia. He married in 1789, Rosannah Nichols, and they lived in a big old house with outside kitchen, on a farm in Laurens County, S. C. They moved to Georgia about 1834 after their children.

Joseph died 8 April 1844; Rosannah was born 15 January 1767 and died 10 March 1839. They are both buried in the cemetery at Smyrna Camp Ground in Rockdale County (that part which was Newton County), Georgia, about seven miles southwest of Conyers, Ga. Their tombstones are large flat ones that cover the entire grave, and on Rosannah's stone, all of their ten children are named, plus the name of their husbands or wives!

Joseph fought in the Revolutionary War from South Carolina.

Issue 10 children:
1. Jennie, b. 27 Sept. 1790; m. William Bailey. Lived and died in Laurens County, S.C.
2. James, b. 13 Sept. 1792; m. Polly Rogers, lived and died in Laurens County
3. John, b. 4 Nov. 1794; d. 13 June 1859; m. Rebecca Bailey, 9 Oct. 1817, moved to Newton County, Ga.
4. JOSEPH, b. 10 April 1797; d. 13 June 1859, Heard County, Ga.; m. 3 Oct. 1816, Elizabeth Ann Jane Carr Rogers (SEE ROGERS FAMILY)

5. William, b. 3 March 1799; d. 28 March 1883; m. Permalie McDowell, 11 Jan. 1826
6. Moses, b. 1 Feb. 1801; m. Elizabeth (Betsey) Rogers, 26 Sept. 1821
7. Aaron, b. 23 Feb. 1803; m. Ruth Rogers, lived in Laurens, S.C.
8. Mary, b. 11 Oct. 1805; d. 13 June 1847/48; m. Nathaniel Rogers, 13 Jan. 1825
9. Martha, b. 11 Sept. 1808; d. 30 March 1888; m. George Rogers, 24 Dec.1829
10. George, b. 9 Oct. 1810; m. (1) Elizabeth Jackson about 1835; m. (2) Nancy Johnson Rogers about 1842

JOSEPH HOLLINGSWORTH
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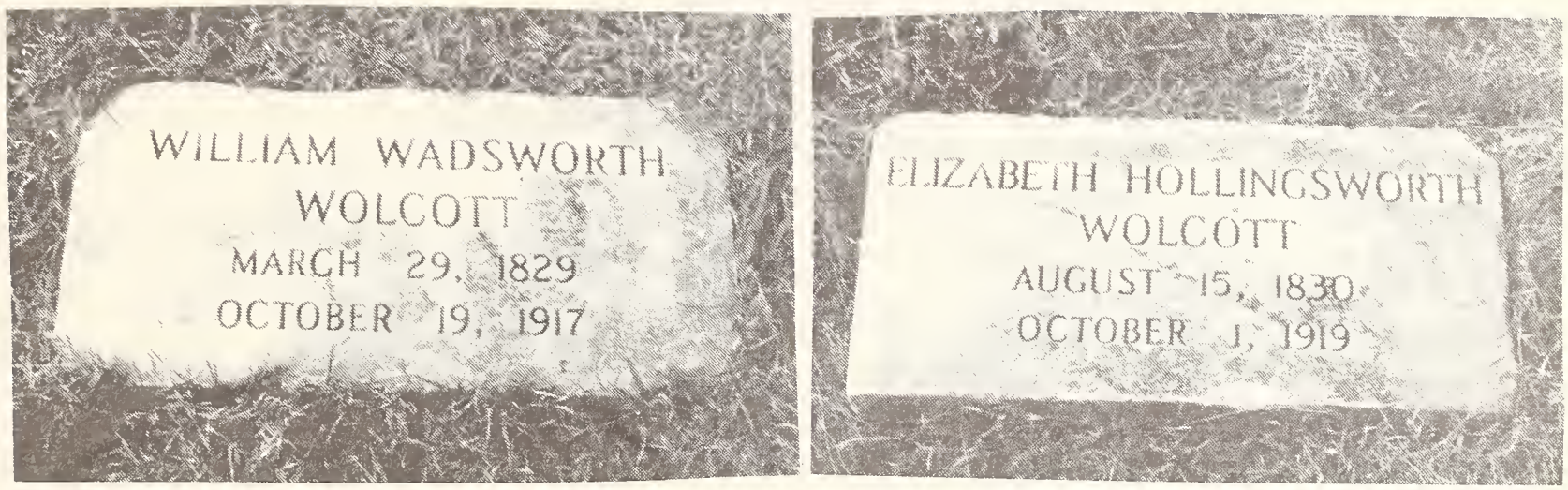
JOSEPH 7, Joseph 6, Abraham 5, George 4, Abraham 3, Thomas 2, Valentine 1. Joseph, son of Joseph and Rosannah(Nichols) Hollingsworth, was born 10 April 1797 and died 13 June 1859. He married Elizabeth Ann Jane Carr Rogers on 3 Oct. 1816 in Laurens District, South Carolina. She was the daughter of Andrew and Lettie (Franks) Rogers. (SEE ROGERS FAMILY)

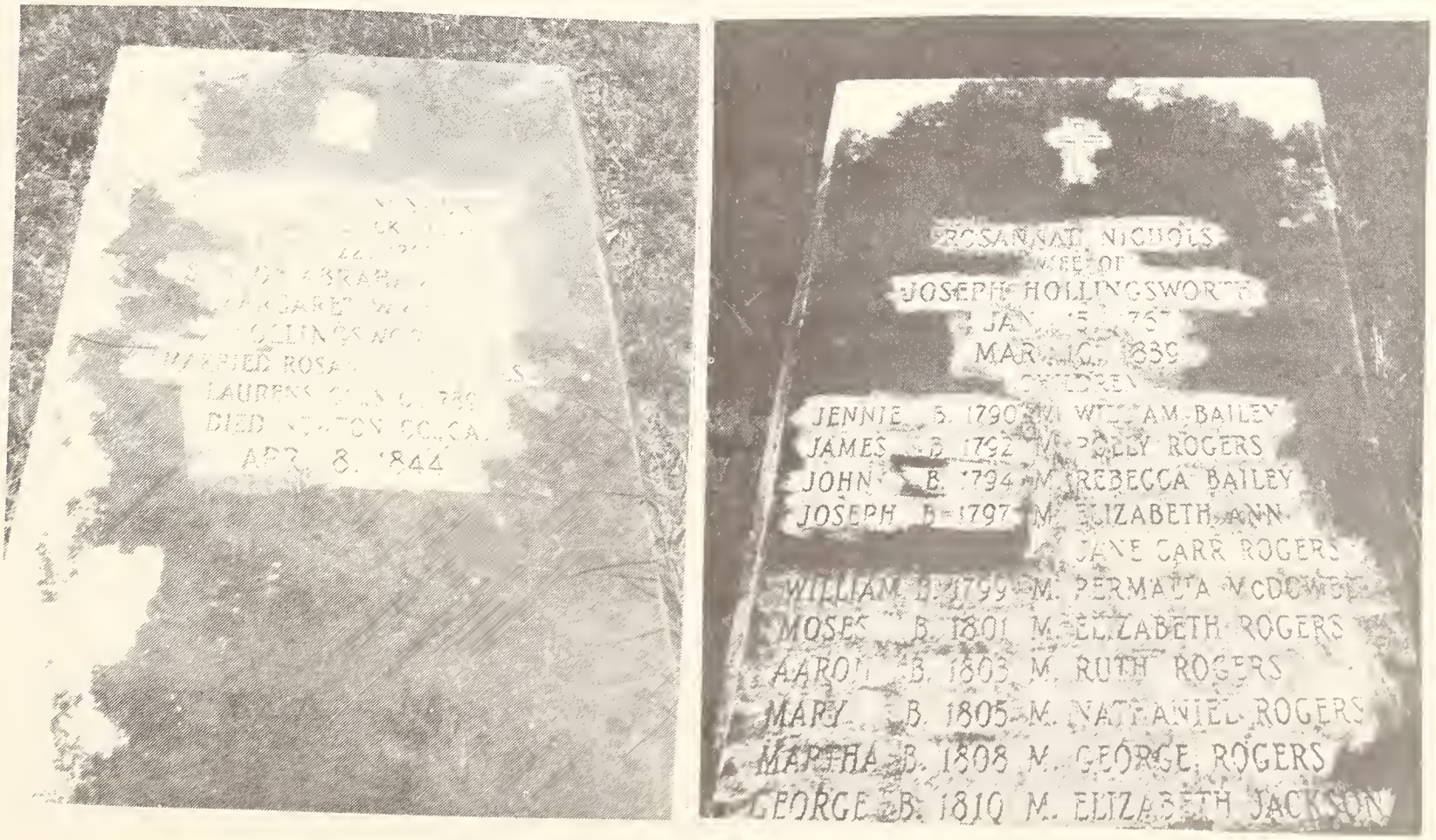
In 1825 they moved to DeKalb County, Georgia; then in 1834 to Newton County, near Smyrna Camp Ground; later moved to Griffin, Ga. where they lived for several years; they later moved to Heard County, Georgia. They are both buried at Hollingsworth Ferry in Heard County, Ga. Elizabeth was born 14 Feb. 1795 and died 4 Feb. 1881.

Issue 9 children:

1. James, b. 1 Aug. 1817, Laurens Co., S.C.; d. 23 Sept. 1864, Mobile, Ala.; m. Joyce Eppison of Ebernezer, Ga.; family moved to Eastern Miss.
2. Julia Ann, b. 9 Feb. 1819, Laurens Co., S.C.; moved to Ga. 1825; d. 24 April 1911, Conyers, Ga.; m. 7 Sept. 1837 John Lewis Stewart
3. Letitia, b. about 1820 Laurens, S.C., moved to Ga. 1825; m. Benjamin Stewart; family moved to Randolph Co., Ala.
4. Levi, b. 25 Dec. 1822, Laurens Co., S.C.; d. 23 May 1899; m. Betsey Echols Heard Co., Ga. 19 Dec. 1844
5. Rosannah, b. 7 June 1825, Laurens Co., S.C.; d. 1 Dec. 1907, Powder Springs, Ga.; m. William Scott
6. Sarah, b. DeKalb Co., Ga. 10 March 1828; d. Macon, Ga. 10 April 1852; m. (1) 24 July 1845 in Griffin, Ga. John McDonald; m. (2) Dr. Joshua Cherry of Macon, Ga.
7. ELIZABETH (LIZZIE), b. 15 Aug.1830 in Georgia; d. 1 Oct. 1919; m. 20 Sept. 1853 in Griffin, Ga., William Wadsworth Wolcott (SEE WOLCOTT FAMILY)
   NOTE: Some genealogy books have shown Elizabeth's birth year as 1833 - this is incorrect. My sister is the owner of Elizabeth Hollingsworth Wolcott's Bible and in her own handwriting it states 1830. Also, her tombstone shows 1830. Both Elizabeth and William are buried at West View Cemetery, Atlanta, Ga., Section 3.
8. Jane, b. 11 Aug 1835 in Newton Co., Ga.; d. 23 Dec. 1909, Heard County, Ga.; m. Edward Mosely of Heard Co.
9. Joseph A., b. July 1837, Newton Co., Ga.; d. 5 July 1903; Ensley, Ala.; m. Lucy Mosely of Heard Co., Ga.



Graves of William and Elizabeth Hollingsworth Wolcott
West View Cemetery, Section 3, Atlanta, Ga.



Graves of Joseph and Rosannah Nichols Hollingsworth
Smyrna Camp Ground Cemetery, southwest of Conyers, Ga.

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2. Hopewell Friends History, 1734-1934, Frederick County, Virginia, compiled from Official Records and Published by a Joint Committee of Hopewell Friends assisted by John W. Wayland
3. The Story of Winchester in Virginia by Frederick Morton
4. Abstracts of Wills, Inventories and Administration Accounts of Frederick County, Va.
5. Deed Book from South Carolina Archives in Columbia, S. C.
6. Bible of Elizabeth Hollingsworth Wolcott, owned by my sister, Mrs. C. D. Godwin
7. D.A.R. Patriotic Index and Ancestor Records from D.A.R. Library in Washington, D. C.
8. Tombstone inscriptions

CHAPTER XX

McCOY (McKAY) FAMILY

It was rather difficult for me to trace the McCoy family until I discovered that McCoy, McKay, McKoy and McAkay were one and the same family! The problem could have been from the writing, or spelling, of the name.

From Hopewell Friends History, p. 543, we find that, "On 19 Dec. 1734 the first marriage of Friends in the Shenandoah Valley was that of George Hollingsworth and Hannah McKoy." As Friends (Quakers) from the same area of Pennsylvania, later Delaware, they were members of the same Meeting (Church).

From the Chronicles of the Scotch-Irish Settlement in Virginia by Lyman Chalkey, Vol. III, p. 27, I found the will of Robert McKay, Sr. which is recorded on page 435 of the Augusta County, Va. Will Book, "7th October 1746, Will - Daughter, Margaret; wife of Josua Job, tract called Josua's Bottom; sons Robert, James, Zachary, Moses. (Tract given to Margaret is part of Order Council for 100,000 to testator and Jost Hite, first, and afterwards renewed by testator, Hite, Green and Duff). Daughter Hannah, wife of George Hollingsworth; daughter Leah, wife of Wm. Taylor, Daughter, Mary, wife of George Robinson of Penna. Daughter Elizabeth. Son, Zachary, plantation known as Nathan Calbreath's Bottom. Executors, Robert, James and Moses. Proved 19th August 1752 by Jones and Vance. Zacharay McCoy refuses to execute and other executors qualify (Jones makes oath, but Moses and Robert are Quakers) with sureties, Moses McCoy, David Vance, Chas. Burk."

Robert, father of Hannah McCoy Hollingsworth, was a large land speculator. He was originally of Frederick County, Virginia, but as the county lines changed, and at his death, he was of Augusta County, probably the same land. His Will is recorded in Augusta County, Virginia.

From Hopewell Friends History, p. 185, " A Friend who does not appear to have been associated in business with Alexander Ross and his company, yet was largely concerned in the settlement of the Shenandoah Valley, was Robert McKay, Sr., who came to Virginia from Cecil County, Maryland, to which place he had come some years before from near Freehold, Monmouth County, New Jersey. While residing in Cecil County he was a member of Nottingham Monthly Meeting, the minutes of which record the marriage intentions of three of his children, viz: Margaret, who married Joshua Job; Hannah, who married George Hollingsworth; and Robert, Jr., who married Patience, daughter of Andrew Job. In the New Garden records may be found the marriage of his daughter Mary and George Robinson of Brandywine Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware.

"Robert McKay, Sr. carried on very extensive transactions in land. For example, on the 21st of 10th month, 1731, he secured from the Governor and Council an order for 100,000 acres. In this grant he had as a partner Joist Hite, leader of the German settlers in the lower Shenandoah Valley. In the bill of complaint filed by Hite in 1749 in his suit against Lord Fairfax relative to the titles for this land, it is stated that both Hite and McKay were residents of Pennsylvania when the Council made this order, but no doubt they arrived in the Valley

shortly thereafter. The terms of this order required McKay and Hite to settle 100 families on their land in two years, which it appears they were unable to do, as the Governor and Council in a subsequent order extended the period, but in 1737 when their settlers were enumerated by Col. Morgan ap Morgan, representing the Governor, and Peter Wolfe, representing McKay and Hite, it was found that sufficient settlers were actually in residence to comply with the terms of the original order.

"The business of McKay and Hite developed very largely, and feeling the need of aid they took into partnership William Duff, a Friend residing in King George County, Va., and a certain Robert Green of Orange County. Some time before his death in 1752 Robert McKay, Sr. withdrew from the firm, which soon became involved with Lord Fairfax in law suits which were not settled until after the Revolutionary War, when all the original litigants had long been dead. Among the various tracts held by Robert McKay Sr. and his partners was one of 7009 acres on Linville Creek, in what is now Rockingham County, which they secured in 1739. In June, 1746, 1200 acres of this land was transferred to Robert McKay Sr. This valuable tract after his death descended to his sons, Robert, Jr., Zachariah, Moses and James, who possessed the great part of it until 1768 when they sold 300 acres of it to Tunis Vanpelt and 600 acres to John Lincoln. Portions of both these tracts were acquired by Captain Abraham Lincoln, grandfather of President Lincoln, and were sold by him in 1780 when he was preparing to move to Kentucky. On Captain Lincoln's land was a meeting house which was built in or before 1756, while the land was still owned by the McKays. They doubtless built the house, or aided in building it. The Baptists of the neighborhood, organized in August 1756 with Rev. John Alderson as pastor, acquired it and used it thereafter."

There was a suit in Chancery Court, dated 6 Sept. 1758, by Jost Hite, Robert McKay and others vs. Lord Fairfax, signed by James McKay, Jost Hite, and Wm. Green, for reimbursement of all sums of money or Tobacco, to pay for a reasonable reward for his labor and trouble, each to pay in proportion to the Quantity of Land claimed. Since Robert Green, Robert McKay and William Duff were already dead, this suit was made by their heirs.

We find that this suit was finally settled, "Hite vs. Snapp-O.S.21; N.S.7, filed 20 Sept. 1796." At this time, even the eldest son and heirs were dead and the part pertaining to Robert McKay's heirs shows, "Andrew McKay, eldest son and heir of Robert McKay, deceased, who was the son and devisee of Robert McKay, Sr.; James and Zackeriah McKay, who are sons and devisees of Robert McKay, Sr.; Isaac McKay, son and heir of Isaac McKay, who was son and heir of Moses McKay, a son and devisee of Robert McKay, Sr.; Leah Leith (?) daughter and devisee of Robert McKay, Sr., Enoch Job, eldest son and heir of Margaret Job, a daughter and devisee of Robert McKay, Sr.; George Hollingsworth, son and heir Abraham Hollingsworth who was son and heir of Hannah Hollingsworth, a daughter and devisee of Robert McKay, Sr.; George Robinson, son and heir of George Robinson, who was son and heir of Mary Robinson a daughter and devisee of Robert McKay."

When Robert McKay, Sr. was alive he lived on or near the South (main) Fork of the Shenandoah River several miles north of Riverton. This put him in Augusta County after 1744, when the line between Frederick and Augusta Counties was surveyed; and his Will is on file in Augusta County. The place of his residence is indicated by an order of Council on 12 June 1734 when Robert Brooke was

directed to survey land claimed by William Russell within the grant of 100,000 acres made to McKay and Hite.

I have been unable to determine who the wife of Robert McKay was, but inasmuch as I find no mention of her, it is possible that she died even before they came to Virginia, or soon afterward.

Issue 9 children:

1. Margaret, m. Joshua Job
2. HANNAH, m. George Hollingsworth (SEE HOLLINGSWORTH FAMILY)
3. Robert, Jr., m. Patience Job, daughter of Andrew Job
4. Mary, m. George Robinson of Brandywine Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware
5. James, m. Mary Chester, daughter of Captain Thomas Chester
6. Moses, m. Mary Job
7. Leah, m. (1) William Taylor; m. (2) ____ Leith
8. Zachariah (Zachary)
9. Elizabeth

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4. Will Book, Augusta County, Va. and Chancery Court Suits from Frederick County, Va., on file at Virginia State Archives, Richmond, Va.

CHAPTER XXI

ROGERS and FRANK FAMILIES

ROGERS FAMILY

Our Rogers family is descended from Rev. John Rogers, the English Reformed clergyman who was the first martyr in the persecution under Queen Mary. He was born in Deritend, Aston Parish, near Birmingham, England, about 1505/6. He received his education at Cambridge; was rector of Trinity and Less in London, then went to Antwerp as chaplain to the English merchants. There he was led by William Tindall, who was in the process of translating the Old Testament into English, into changing his religious views. He took charge of a Protestant congregation at Wittenberg and prepared for the press an English rendering of the Bible, including Tindall's Old and New Testament, as far as the end of II Chronicles. John Rogers' part was a small one in the translation, but his marginal notes formed the earliest English commentary.

He returned to England in 1548 and in 1550 was made rector of St. Margaret Moyses, London, and vicar of St. Sepulchre there. In 1553 he preached twice at Paul's Cross, the second time against Catholicism, three days after Queen Mary's arrival in London. On 27 January 1554 he was imprisoned at Newgate and after two examinations on 22 and 29 Jan. 1555, he was burned at the stake at Smithfield, on 4 Feb. 1555.

Below is our Rogers' lineage from Charlemagne, Alfred The Great, on down to Rev. John Rogers, the Martyr, to our Rogers descendants:

1. CHARLEMAGNE, b. 2 Apr. 742; d. Aix la Chapalla, 28 Jan. 813/4, King of France 768-814, crowned Holy Roman Emperor 25 Dec. 800; m. ca. 771 HILDEGARDE, b. 758; d. 30 April 783, dau. of Count Geroud of Swabia. Charlemagne, Roman Emperor (742-814) was one of the greatest rules of all time, one of the most imposing figures of all history, a Christian, and "an apostle of culture in the highest sense." In 768 Charlemagne, with his brother, Carloman, had inherited jointly the Kingdom of the Franks. In 771, Carloman died, leaving Charlemagne sole ruler of all the Franks. Charlemagne, King of the Franks, was crowned Emperor of Rome by Pope Leo III, on Christmas Day, 800 A.D. His coronation was the central fact of the Middle Ages as the crowd shouted in the old Church of Sr. Peter's, "To Carolus Magnus, crowned by God, mighty and pacific Emperor, be life and victory." His crown is now in Vienna. He died 28 Jan. 814, and was buried in the Minster Church of Aachen.
2. PEPIN, b. Apr.733, bapt. at Rome, 12 Apr.781; d. Milan 8 Jul.810, King of Italy 781-810. Apparently by a dau. of Duke Bernard, bro. of Pepin the Short, he had Bernard a natural son.
3. BERNARD, b. 797; d. Milan, 17 Apr.818, King of Italy 813; m. Cunigunde
4. PEPIN, b. 817/8; d.aft.840, Count of Senlis, Peronne and St. Quentin
5. HERBERT I DE VERMANDOIS, b. ca.840, murdered ca. 902, Count of Vermandois, Seigneur of Senlis, Paronne and St. Quentin; wife unknown
6. HERBERT II, b. 880-890; d. St. Quentin, ca. 943, Count of Vermandois and Troyes; m. LIEGARDE, dau. of Robert I, Duke of France, by his first wife, ADELE

7. ALBERT I, the Pious, b. ca. 920; d. 988, Count de Vermandolis; m. GERBERGA of LORRAINE, dau. of Giselbert, Duke of Lorraine and Gerbarga, dau. of HENRY I, The Fowler of Saxony
8. HERBERT III, b. ca. 955; d. ca. 1000, Count of Vermandois; m. 1st Ermengarde, dau. of Reinald, Count of Bar
9. OTHO (Eudes or Otto), b. ca. 1000; d. 25 May 1045, Count de Vermandois
10. HERBERT IV, b. ca. 1032; d. ca. 1080, Count de Vermandois; m. ADELA de Vexin, dau. of Raoul III the Great, Count of Valois and Vexin
11. ADELAIDE DE VERMANDOIS, d. ca. 1120, Countess of Vermandois and Valois; m. HUGH MAGNUS, son of HENRY I, King of France; d. 1101, Duke of France and Burgancy, Marquis of Orleans, Count of Amiens, Chaumont, Paris, Valois, and Vermandois; LEADER OF THE FIRST CRUSADE. Prince Hugh Magnus, "Hugh the Great", Crusader, was born 1057; died at Tarsus, Celicia, Oct. 18, 1101; who signalized himself in the "First Crusade" with Godfrey de Bonillon's expedition (1096-1099), which event outdates the famous "Barons of Runnymede" who gained the "Magna Charta" from King John by 129 years. Descendants of Hugh the Great are Eligible to Membership in the "Order of the First Crusade" by direct descent from one of the Seven Leaders who carried the Cross to Jerusalem in 1096.

    It should be noted that ADELAIDE DE VERMANDOIS, wife of HUGH MAGNUS, was a lineal descendant (through her mother) of ALFRED THE GREAT, King of England, 871-901, b. Wantage, Bershire 849; d. 28 Oct. 901; m. 868, Ealswith (Alswitha). Alfred was one of the greatest men in history. He was crowned King at Winchester 871; founded the British Navy, organized the militia, compiled a code of laws, built schools and monasteries, and invited scholars to live at his court. He was a good scholar and translated many books. His son,

    EDWARD, the Elder, King of England, 901-924; b. 875; d. 924; m. (3) 919, EDGIFU, c. 961, dau. of Sigeheim, Earl of Kent.

    PRINCESS EDGIVA (AEDGIFU), granddaughter of Alfred The Great, daughter of Edward the Elder, whose first husband was Charles III, King of France. From them, descended in the 6th generation, Elizabeth or Isabel de Vermandois.

12. ISABEL DE VERMANDOIS, d. 13 Feb. 1131, Countess of Leicester; m. (1) 1096 Sir Robert de Beaumont, b. ca. 1049; d. 5 June 1118, Lord of Beaumont, First Earl of Leicester, son of Roger de Beaumont and Adelise, dau. of Waleran, Count of Meulan; m. (2) William de Warenne, d. 11 May 1138, second Earl of Surrey, son of William de Warenne and Gundred.
13. ADA (ADAMA) DE WARRENNE, m. Henry, Prince of Scotland, son of King David I, of Scotland, and the grandson of King Malcom II and his wife, Margaret Aetheling of England. Prince Henry, only son of David I, was created Earl of Northumberland in 1139; d. 1152, leaving 3 sons and 3 daughters. ADA d. 1178; m. about 1139.
14. SIR DAVID, Earl of Huntingdon, m. Lady Maud, dau. of Hugh de Meschines de Kyvelioch, Fifth Earl Palatine of Chester and his wife, Bartred, dau. of Simon, Earl of Everaux. Died 1219, Crusader.
15. Lady ADA, 3rd dau. of Earl David, of Huntingdon, m. Henry Hastings
16. MARGARET HASTINGS, called "Margaret of Scotland", m. Humphrey de Bohme, d. 1182
17. HENRY DE BOHME, d.1 June 1220; m. Maud Fitz Piers; Earl of Hereford; was also High Constable of England; was a Magna Charta Baron.

18. HUMPHREY DE BOHME, d.1275; m. Maud; Earl of Hereford and Essex, went on Crusade in 1250; in charge of portion of Welsh marshes in 1257; went over to King's side by 1263.
19. HUMPHREY DE BOHME, d. 1265; m. Eleanor de Braose
20. HUMPHREY DE BOHME, d. 24 Sept. 1298; m. ____ de Fieunes
21. HUMPHREY DE BOHME, d. 16 Mar. 1321/2; m. 1302 Lady Elizabeth Plantagenet, dtr. of King Edward I, of England, and his first wife, Princess Eleanor, of Castile; was fourth Earl of Hereford and Essex.
22. MARGARET DE BOHME, d. 16 Dec. 1391; m. 1325, SIR HUGH DE COURTENEY, d. 1377, second Earl of Devon, Knight of Garter, son of Sir Hugh de Courteney.
23. SIR PHILIP DE COURTENAY, d. 29 July 1406, of Powderham, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, 1383; m. Anne, dau. of Sir. Thomas Wake of Blysworth.
24. SIR JOHN DE COURTENAY, m. Joan Champernoun, dau.of Alexander Champernoun
25. SIR PHILIP DE COURTENAY, d. 16 Dec. 1463, of Powderham; m. Elizabeth Hungerford; d.14 Dec.1476; dau.of Sir Walter Hungerford, Knight of Garter, Lord Treasurer of England, and wife Catherine, dau. of Sir Thomas Peverell
26. LADY KATHERINE DE COURTENAY, b. 1444/6; d.1483-1515; m. THOMAS ROGERS of Bradford. Lady Katherine was Thomas' second wife, she was dau. of Sir Philip of Powderham Castle, in Devon, the relict of Sir Seinclere Pomoroy. Lady Katherine and Thomas Rogers had two sons; George and John.
27. JOHN ROGERS, of "Deritend"; m. Margery, dtr. of Sir Henry Wyatt of Abingdon Castle in 1505-6. Issue 5 children: Eldest son, Rev. John, the Martyr; William, Edward, Eleanor and Joan.
28. JOHN ROGERS, THE MARTYR, b. ca. 1505/6, burned at the Stake, 1555, m. Adriana de Weyden (Adriana Pratt), 1536. She died 1572. They had eleven children: Daniel, JOHN, Ambrose, Samuel, Philip, Bernard, Augustine, Barnaby, Susannah, Hester, Elizabeth.
29. JOHN ROGERS, JR. a proctor in the Civil War (b. about 1540, d.1603); m. Mary, dtr. of William Leete of Everden, Cambridgeshire (Doctor of Civil War). They had eight children: Constantine, JOHN, Edward, Varro, Cassandra, Elizabeth, Heckuba, Mary.
30. REV. JOHN ROGERS, b. 1565, d. 1630; m. Elizabeth Gold of Dedham, England. They had 8 children: John, James, NATHANIEL, Richard, Edward, William who died young, and two daughters (cannot find their names).

The above lineage was taken from "Lineage of Hal Coffee Jones and John Alford Jones on the Maternal Side through John Rogers, The Martyr of England (As Copied From The British Museum)."

REV, NATHANIEL ROGERS
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REV NATHANIEL ROGERS 1. Nathaniel, son of Rev. John Rogers of Dedham County, Essex, England, and his wife, Elizabeth Gold, was born about 1598 at Haverhill, where his father was then minister. He was educated at Cambridge University, receiving his degree in 1617, first preached at Bocking in Essex, next at Assington in Suffolk. Rev. John died 18 Oct. 1636.

Nathaniel married Margaret Crane, daughter of Robert Crane, of Coggeshall County, Essex. He came from London to Boston, arriving Nov. 1636 and on 20 Feb. 1638 he was ordained to succeed Nathaniel Ward; he was a freeman 23 May 1639; and he died 3 July 1655. He had carefully kept a Diary, but, James Savage says, he was wise enough to burn it before his death.

Issue 6 children: (First four were born in England.)

1. JOHN, b. Jan. 1631, at Coggeshall County, Essex, England; Graduated Harvard 1649; m. Elizabeth Denison (SEE DENISON FAMILY)
2. Nathaniel, b. at Assington 30 Sept. 1632
3. Samuel, b. 16 Jan. 1635
4. Margaret, b. England; m. William Hubbard, the Historian, at Ipswich, Mass. (SEE HUBBARD FAMILY)
5. Timothy, b. 9 Nov. 1638, Ipswich, Mass.
6. Ezekiel, b. Mass.; d. 5 July 1674, graduated Harvard 1659

REV. JOHN ROGERS
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REV. JOHN 2, Nathaniel 1. John, eldest son of Rev. Nathaniel and Margaret (Crane) Rogers, was born in England in Jan. 1631 (not 1620 as Genealogical Register says) at Coggeshall in Essex, probably at the home of his grandfather, Robert Crane.

John came with his parents to Massachusetts in 1636; he was a freeman in 1674. On 14 Nov. 1660 he married Elizabeth Denison, daughter of Major General Daniel Denison. Elizabeth died 13 June 1723. John was both a physician and preacher. He received his degree in 1649 from Harvard. He must have been a brilliant student for he began, a few years later, the double work in his native town of Ipswich, as preacher and physician.

He continued to practice medicine with his pulpit work, and gained eminence for his literary attainments. The busy, many-sided man was reckoned far above the ordinary, and in 1677, on the death of Leonard Hoar, he was chosen President of Harvard. He declined this honor and Urian Oakes was chosen, but on the death of Mr. Oakes, John was elected again, and was solemnly inaugurated on the 12th of August 1683.

Commencement day of the next year fell on the first day of July, an occasion of special interest to John, as the first commencement of his Presidency and the graduation day of his eldest son, John, and John Denison, son of Rev. John Denison and grandson of Major General Denison and Deputy Governor Symonds. He was taken sick suddenly at Commencement time and died on the following day, 2 July 1684, widely and sincerely lamented. He was laid in the old burying ground in Cambridge, under the shadow of the College, and his headstone still recounts his virtues: "A treasury of benevolence, a storehouse of theologic learning, a library of the choicest literature, a living system of medicine, an embodiment of integrity, a repository of faith, a pattern of Christian sympathy, a garner of all virtues." From Ipswich, in the Massachusetts Bay Colony by Thomas Franklin Waters.

Issue of Rev. John and Elizabeth:

1. Elizabeth, b. 26 Feb. 1662; m. 23 Nov. 1681, John Appleton
2. Margaret, b. 18 Feb. 1664; d. 7 June 1720; m. (1) 28 Dec. 1686Dr. Thomas Barry; m. (2) Hon. John Everett
3. JOHN, b. 7 July 1666; d. 28 Dec. 1745; Graduated Harvard 1684; m. Martha Whittingham 4 Mar. 1691. (SEE WHITTINGHAM FAMILY)
4. Daniel, b. 25 Sept. 1667; d. 1 Dec. 1723; Graduated Harvard 1686

5. Nathaniel, b. 22 Feb. 1670; d. 1723; Graduated Harvard 1687; m. Sarah Purkiss
6. Patience, b. 25 May 1676; d. 22 May 1731; m. 15 Apr. 1696, Benjamin Marston

REV. JOHN ROGERS
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REV. JOHN 3, Rev. John 2, Nathaniel 1. Rev. John, eldest son of Rev. John and Elizabeth (Denison) Rogers, was born at Ipswich, Mass. on 7 July 1666 and died 28 Dec. 1745 at age 79.

In 1684 John graduated from Harvard College and on 4 Mar. 1691 he married Martha Whittingham, daughter of William and Mary (Laurence) Whittingham. Martha was born in 1670 and died 9 Mar. 1759 at age 89. From Ipswich Town Records.

On 12 Oct. 1692 he was ordained as minister as a colleague with his uncle, Rev. Hubbard. Rev. John was the seventh minister of the Ipswich Church.

Issue John and Martha: (From Ipswich Town Records)
1. John, b. 27 Jan. 1692; d. 1773; Graduated Harvard 1711, minister Kittery
2. Martha, b. 2 Nov. 1694
3. Mary, no other information
4. WILLIAM, b. 19 June 1699; d. 29 July 1749, in his 51st year at Annapolis, Md.; m. (1) Mary Caldwell in 1720; m. (2) perhaps Lucinda Thompson.
5. Nathaniel, b. 22 Sept. 1701; Graduated Harvard 1721, minister Ipswich, colleague with his father
6. Richard, b. 2 Dec. 1703; merchant at Ipswich
7. Elizabeth, b. 28 July 1707 (twin)
8. Daniel, b. 28 July 1707 (twin); Graduated Harvard 1725; minister of Exeter
9. Samuel, b. 31 Aug. 1709; d. 21 Dec. 1772; Graduated Harvard 1725; was physician.

WILLIAM ROGERS
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WILLIAM 4, Rev. John 3, Rev. John 2, Nathaniel 1. William, son of Rev. John and Martha (Whittingham) Rogers, was born at Ipswich, Massachusetts, 19 June 1699. William was a Captain in the Colonial wars, and his home was at Annapolis, Maryland. He had gone there prior to 1720 inasmuch as he married Mary Caldwell, of Annapolis, in 1720. From Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy by Frederick Adams Virkus, Vol. IV, p.558.

From Ipswich, Mass. Records, p. 662, an entry, "WILLIAM ROGERS, Esq., son of Rev. John, died at Annapolis, Md., July 29, 1749, in his 51st year."

From Marriages and Deaths from the Maryland Gazette 1727-1839, compiled by Robert Barnes, p. 158, "WILLIAM ROGERS, Esq. died here last Sat. morning (July 29) very much lamented, in his 50th year, and on Sun. evening was decently interred. He was a gentleman born and bred in New England, but had long been a worthy inhabitant of this place. He enjoyed many posts of honor and trust. He

leaves a widow and three children. Aug. 2, 1749." It is thought that his widow was his second wife and their children. There was one, and possibly two children, by Mary Caldwell, and perhaps three by his second wife. Mary (Caldwell) Rogers died in 1725; I have found two dates of son, Thomas' birth, 1722 and 1725.

From the Records of All Hallows Parish, Maryland I have found that. "William Rogers and Lucinda Thompson were married 18 August 1726."

From the Archives of Maryland, Vol. XLII, p.367-369, Proceedings and Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland 1740-1744, Bernard Christian Steiner, Editor, we find, under dates Sept. 21-Oct. 29, 1742, "Your committee having viewed and inspected the quality and quantity of the arms and ammunition of this Province now in the City of Annapolis, do find the same as follows, viz: in the Council Chamber....in the Room over the Conference Chamber....Under the Stairs in the Council House....In the Repository....in the Powder House....To Captain William Roger's Independent Company 65 Musketts with Bayonettes and Slings, 65 Cartouch Boxes...."

From Vol XLIV, p.76, Assembly Proceedings, August 5-Sept. 28, 1745, "Resolved, That the Serjeant at Arms acquaint Mr. William Rogers, Major of the City of Annapolis, that this House requires his immediate Attendance. Mr. Rogers appearing at the Bar of the House, Mr. Speaker delivered himself in the following manner."

From the Land Office and Prerogative Court Records of Colonial Maryland by Elisabeth Hartsook Gust Skordas, p.118, we find a list of Clerks and Registers of the Prerogative Court, and listed therein is William Rogers, 1736-1749.

William left no Will, according to the Archives of Maryland at Annapolis, but Lucinda Rogers' Will was probated on 30 Oct. 1755 and named a son, William, and a son, John.

Issue:
By Mary Caldwell, William's first wife:
1. Thomas, b. 1722 or 1725
Possibly one other child.
By Lucinda, William's second wife:
2. John
3. William
Possibly a daughter, Martha

THOMAS ROGERS
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THOMAS 5, William 4, Rev. John 3, Rev. John 2, Rev. Nathaniel 1. Thomas, son of William and Mary (Caldwell) Rogers, was born at Annapolis, Maryland, one record says 1722, another 1725. He migrated to Charlotte County, Virginia, it is thought, with some of his mother's people; later migrated to Laurens County, South Carolina, and died there in 1786. Thomas married Elizabeth Ann Jane Carr, daughter of Thomas and Ann Elizabeth (Addison) Carr. Ann Elizabeth Addison was the daughter of John Addison, son of John, of Maryland. Thomas and Elizabeth were probably married in Maryland.

It is thought that Thomas and his family, along with others, migrated first from Maryland to Charlotte County, Virginia, later, before the Revolutionary War to Laurens County, S. C.

From Virginia Historical Magazine, Vol. 18, p. 40-41, we find that about 1735 a large emigration of Scotch-Irish Presbyterians migrated to Charlotte County, Va. and Prince Edward County, Va.; a number of Caldwells among them. We find that in 1738 John Caldwell, and a number of Presbyterians, applied to the Synod of Philadelphia for a minister. Further, "A number of men signed a petition, probably names of heads of households, this 2 April 1751....from William Caldwell (was this our Thomas' grandfather??) to....Thomas Rogers, William Rogers, William Caldwell, John Caldwell, James Caldwell and Thomas Caldwell....conveying to them one acre of land, including a graveyard, in the Caldwell Settlement." The Caldwell settlement was in Charlotte County, Va.

Thomas died in Laurens County, S.C. in 1786 and Elizabeth Ann Jane (Carr) Rogers died there in 1793.

Lineage and dates from The Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy by Frederick Adams Virkus, Vol. I, p.188, and Vol. VII, p.413.

Issue that I have found:

1. ANDREW, b. Maryland; d. 1807, Laurens County, S.C.;m. Letty Frank (SEE FRANK FAMILY)
2. William, b. c. 1752, Maryland
3. Nathaniel, b. 1755; d. 1804; m. Frances Cobb
4. Ann, b. 17 Dec. 1747 (From St. Luke's Parish Records, Queen Anne's County Maryland, p.45)

ANDREW ROGERS
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ANDREW 6, Thomas 5, William 4, Rev. John 3, Rev. John 2, Rev. Nathaniel 1. Andrew, son of Thomas and Elizabeth Ann Jane (Carr) Rogers, was born in Maryland, ca. 1745-1755; and died in Laurens County, South Carolina in 1807. In 1787 he married Letty (Letitia) Frank (s), daughter of Neremiah and Mary (Peake) Frank (SEE FRANK FAMILY). Letty (Frank) Rogers died 11 Feb. 1817 in Laurens County. Letty's Will is in Laurens County Will Book D-1, p.433,434. Estate settlement 12-19-1817.

According to the South Carolina Roster of Revolutionary Soldiers, Andrew served as a lieutenant in the militia before the fall of Charleston; also served in the militia after the fall of Charleston.

From the Laurens County Deed Book B, p. 222, 6-5-87 - 10-10-1787, "Andrew Rodgers, son of Thomas Rodgers, of Laurens Co., and Letty to James Clardy....180 pounds Va. Cur., 240 a. on s. side of Little River...." One of the witnesses was John Rodgers.

From Laurens County Deed Book F, p. 362, 4-12-1798, "Andrew Rodgers to John Francis Wolff for $400, a negro boy named Paul...."

According to family records and papers that my mother, Margaret Wolcott Williams, gave to me before she died, Andrew and Letty Rogers are buried in a country grave yard in Laurens District, S.C. Also, the following children were in these papers, but not in order of their births. These children are all named in Letty's Will.

Issue 9 children:

1. Thomas Rogers, m. Sarah (Sallie)
2. William Rogers, m. ____ Riddle
3. Andrew, Jr.
4. Samuel
5. Nannie, m. Charles Jones, lived in Abbeville, S.C.
6. ELIZABETH ANN JANE CARR ROGERS, b. 14 Feb. 1795; d. 4 Feb. 1881 in Griffin, Ga., buried at Hollingsworth Ferry, Heard County, Ga.; m. JOSEPH HOLLINGSWORTH, 3 Oct. 1816 (SEE HOLLINGSWORTH FAMILY)
7. Letty (Letitia), m. (1) ____ Fuller; m. (2) ____Babb, lived in Laurens, S.C.
8. Polly, m. James Hollingsworth, lived in Laurens, S.C.
9. Sallie or Sarah, b. 18 Aug. 1800; d. 25 May 1887; m. 27 March 1821, James Culbertson, lived in Laurens, S.C.

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FRANK FAMILY

The name Franc(e), Fran(c)k, Frank(s), Frans, Fran(t)z, are derivatives of the Slavonic word, franco, used in the sense of a tribal group who are not forced to pay tribute to a distant king. By the end of the fifth century the Romans had pulled out of Gaul and were replaced by the Franks, a Low German tribe from across the Rhine River. The area occupied by the Franks became known as Frankland, later France. There were Franc(o) and Francus in England in 1086. John Frank, who died in 1433, was archbishop of Suffolk and Keeper of the great Seal of England. There was a Daniel Frank who died in James City County, Virginia in 1623.

We do not know if this Daniel Frank was our ancestor, but our Letty Frank's grandfather was Robert Franke of Westmoreland County, Virginia. From Virginia County Record Publications, Vol. I, p.96, Westmoreland County by William Armstrong Crozier, we find, "Deed Book 2, p.25, Robert Franke, in 1694, had a land grant of 335 acres."

From Westmoreland County Wills, p. 81, "Sarah Frank, widow of Robert....20 June 1725 (Nuncupative). Eldest son, Thomas; children Robert, Samuel, Martha and Neremiah to John Piper and his wife, Mary, until they come of age. Attested to by John Plunkett."

Neremiah (Letty's father) married Mary Peake, probably in Virginia. Neremiah was born before 1725 and died 6 Nov. 1799, and is listed in the D.A.R. Patriotic Index as having fought in the Revolutionary War from South Carolina, at which time we find the spelling as Nehemiah. Mary died in Laurens County, S.C., date unknown.

Issue 11 children: (Names of children found in Ancestor File at D.A.R. Library in Washington, D.C.)

1. Marshall, b. 5 Nov. 1752
2. Robert
3. LETITIA
4. Samuel
5. Patty
6. John
7. Betty
8. Mary
9. William
10. Sally
11. Nehemiah

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CHAPTER XXII

DUDLEY, DENISON, WHITTINGHAM and HUBBARD FAMILIES

DUDLEY FAMILY

THOMAS DUDLEY was baptized at Yardley-Hastings, Northampton county, on 12 October 1576, the only son of Captain Roger Dudley, who was killed in battle, and his wife, Susanna Thorne. Captain Roger Dudley died in 1585, and his wife, Susanna, was still living in 1588. The arms of Thorne are: Sable, three fusills in fess, argent.

Thomas was brought up in the family of the Earl of Northampton, and afterwards became a clerk to his maternal kinsman, Judge Nichols, and thus obtained some knowledge of the law, which proved of great service to him later in life. At the age of 20 he received a captain's commission from Queen Elizabeth, and commanded a company of volunteers, under Henry IV of France, at the siege of Amiens in 1597.

The next year, after the peace, he settled at Northampton where he was a neighbor of several eminent Puritan divines and he became a Noncomformist. For nine or ten years he was stewart to Theophilus, the young Earl of Lincoln, and the Earl prevailed upon him to resume his place in his family, which he did until the storm of persecution led him to join the company that was migrating to New England.

Thomas Dudley married, first, Dorothy Yorke, at Hardingstone, near Northampton, England, 25 April 1603. She was the daughter of Edmund Yorke of Cotton End, county Northampton. Dorothy died 27 Dec. 1643, at age 76, and was buried in Roxbury, Mass. His second wife was Catharine, widow of Samuel Hackburne, whose maiden name was Dighton. After Thomas' death, Catharine married Rev. John Allin of Dedham on 8 Nov. 1653.

On 29 August 1629, Thomas Dudley was one of the signers of the Agreement at Cambridge. On 16 October 1629 he was, for the first time, at the Company's courts. When Winthrop was chosen Governor, Thomas Dudley was made an Assistant and when Humphrey declined to go to America with the Charter, Thomas was elected Deputy Governor in his place. Thomas and Dorothy Dudley came to America in 1630 in the Arabello. In 1634 Thomas was chosen Govenor and three times afterward, in 1640, 1645 and 1650 and served thirteen times as Deputy Governor. In 1644 he was appointed Major-General of the colony.

He was one of the founders of Newtown, now Cambridge. When Thomas Hooker removed to Hartford in 1636, Thomas Dudley removed to Ipswich, and later to Roxbury, where he died 31 July 1653 in his 77 year. From the Chronicles of The First Planters of the Colony of Massachusetts 1623-1636 by Alexander Young, p. 304-305.

From Town of Roxbury by Francis S. Drake, p. 99, we find the Epitaph that is on the tomb of Gov. Thomas Dudley:

In books a prodigal they say
A living cyclopaedia
A table talker, rich in sense
And witty without wit's pretence.

An able champion in debate
Whose words lacked numbers but not weight
Both Catholic and Christian too,
A soldier trusty, tried and true;
Condemned to share the common doom
Reposes here in Dudley's tomb.

Thomas Dudley's lineage goes back to the Holy Roman Emperor, Charlemagne, and from there through generation 17 (SIR JOHN DE COURTENAY), it is the same as under ROGERS LINE.

18. ELEANOR DE COURTNEAY (sister of SIR HUGH, #18 under ROGERS); m. SIR HENRY DE GREY
19. SIR RICHARD DE GREY, b. 1281, d 10 May 1334/5; m. Joan
20. JANE DE GREY, m. SIR WILLIAM DE HARCOURT, ca. 6 Jun. 1349
21. SIR THOMAS DE HARCOURT, d. ca. 12 Apr. 1417; m. ca. 1374 MAUD DE GREY
22. SIR THOMAS DE HARCOURT, d. 1420; m. Jane Franceys
23. SIR RICHARD HARCOURT, Will made 27 Apr. 1486; m. (1) before 16 Dec. 1445 EDITH ST. CLAIR, living 16 Sept. 1462; d. before 8 Nov. 1472
24. ALICE HARCOURT, m. William Bessiles, d.1515; her Will probated 19 June 1526
25. ELIZABETH BESSILES, m. Richard Fettiplace, of East Shelford, Berkshire
26. ANNE FETTIPLACE, b. 16 July 1496; d. 16 Aug 1568; m. Edward Purefoy, b. 13 Jan. 1494, d. 1558
27. MARY PUREFOY, sister of John Purefoy and mentioned in his will, 1579; m. Thomas Thorne, gentleman of Yardley-Hastings, will made 29 Oct. 1588, probated 9 May 1589 (Northampton Reg. of Wills, V.328-330). Thomas Thorne bequeaths, "To the children of Susan Dudley, my Daughter, widow, 10 pounds to be equally divided." These children were Gov. Thomas Dudley, bapt. 12 Oct. 1576, and Mary Dudley, bapt. 16 Oct. 1580.
28. SUSANNA THORNE, bapt. Yardley-Hastings, 5 Mar. 1559/60, living 29 Oct. 1588 (Parish Reg. at Yardley-Hastings) m. Captain Roger Dudley, d. 1585. The Will of JOHN PUREFOY, 1570 (27 above) mentions Thomas Dudley.

Issue:

By first wife, Dorothy (Yorke) Dudley:

1. Thomas, it is uncertain if he came to America
2. Samuel
3. Ann, b. after 1612; m. before leaving England, Simon Bradstreet, the Governor; d. 16 Sept. 1672
4. PATIENCE, m. Major General Daniel Denison; d. 8 Feb. 1690 (SEE DENISON FAMILY)
5. Sarah, bp. Sempringham in Lincolnshire, 23 July 1620; m. 6 Sept. 1648, Major Benjamin Beayne of Boston
6. Mercy, b. 27 Sept. 1621; d. 1 July 1691; m. Rev. John Woodbridge

By second wife, Catharine (Dighton) Hackburne Dudley:

7. Deborah, bp. 2 March 1645; m. Jonathan Wade
8. Joseph, bp. 26 Sept. 1647
9. Paul, bp. 8 Sept. 1650

DENISON FAMILY

WILLIAM DENISON
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WILLIAM DENISON 1, with his wife, Margaret, and his sons Daniel, Edward and George, came to America in 1631, probably in the Lion. He was made a constable and a deputy to the General Court in 1634, was a man of mark, possessed considerable property and was one of the founders of the "Free School". With his son, Edward, and other Roxbury men he was disarmed in 1637 for "subscribing the seditions libel", or in other words, for being a follower of Anne Hutchinson, a woman who had opinions of her own upon religious subjects, and worse of all, in the eyes of the Puritan leaders of the colony, drew the more liberal and intelligent ones over to her way of thinking. William died in 1653. From The Town of Roxbury by Francis S. Drake, p. 90-91.

William was a freeman in 1632, Representative in 1635, among the disarmed in 1637, died 25 January 1653 or 4, an old man, says the Roxbury Records. His wife died in 1646 (she is not mentioned by name).

Issue:

1. DANIEL, b. England about 1612; d. 1682; m. Patience Dudley, daughter of Gov. Thomas Dudley (SEE DUDLEY FAMILY)
2. Edward, d. 26 April 1668; m. Eliza Weld; 1st town clerk of Roxbury
3. William, Graduated Harvard College 1681; town clerk; d. 22 Mar. 1718
4. George, b. 1621; m. (1) Bridget Thompson, she died 3 yrs. later; m. (2) Anne Borodalle, of Ireland

DANIEL DENISON
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MAJOR GENERAL DANIEL DENISON 2, William 1. Daniel Denison was born in England about 1612, the son of William Denison, who also came to this country and settled in Roxbury, Massachusetts. Daniel died 20 Sept. 1682, in his 70th year (Ipswich, Mass. Records). He was of Cambridge in 1633, became a Freeman in 1634, was Captain 1637, Major 1648, later Major-General. He moved to Ipswich with the early planters, was its representative in 1635 and for seven years after, speaker in 1649, 1651 and 1652; was in every rank of the military to the highest by 1660; an Assistant from 1654 until his death in 1682.

Daniel married Patience Dudley, daughter of Governor Thomas Dudley. She was the executrix of his Will and she died 8 Feb. 1690.

Daniel Denison lived in Ipswich in 1648, as appears from a deed of Matthew Whipple property to Robert Whitman (Ipswich Deeds 1:43). He had owned another house, near the mill, on a two acre tract, and it is probable that he acquired this later lot and built his house near that date (1648). On 3 May 1665, this second house was destroyed by an incendiary fire which was suspected to be the act of a woman servant, who was charged with stealing from Denison, and was sentenced to be whipped ten stripes for lying about it. A new house was erected and here he lived until his death. His house is referred to as a "mansion". From Ipswich, in the Massachusetts Bay Colony by Thomas Franklin Waters.

Daniel's Will was made on 18 July 1673, a codicil, dated 28 Feb. 1678, a second codicil, dated 22 Dec. 1680. His wife, Patience Denison, was his executrix, and received most of his estate, houses, lands, cattle, money, etc. His daughter, Elizabeth Rogers, wife of Rev. John Rogers, received a farm of 500 acres, plus a large sum of money. Also, 500 acres, granted me by the General Court in Oct. 1665 and 20 pounds to be paid her in lieu of so much given her by her Grandfather Dudley. He mentions grandchildren, John Denison, Daniel Denison, Martha Denison, Elizabeth Rogers.

The inventory was taken 17th of October 1682, and, of course, the value is in pounds sterling, but is quite a large inventory. Among other items, clothes, linens, woolens, arms, 6 beds with furniture, napkins, table linens, towels, sheets, carpets, pillows, stools, tables, trunks, chests, looking glass, boxirons, warming pans, earthen ware, yarne, 204 yds. linnen cloth, woolen cloth, spinning wheel; Dwelling house, orchard and out housing; A Farm, New England moneyes.

Issue 2 children:

1. John, who must have died before Major Gen. Daniel, inasmuch as he mentions John's children and their mother, Mrs. Martha Martyne, in his Will.
2. ELIZABETH, wife of Rev. John Rogers

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WHITTINGHAM FAMILY

JOHN WHITTINGHAM
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JOHN WHITTINGHAM 1, was the son of Baruch Whittingham of Southerton, England, and the grandson of Rev. William Whittingham, the famous puritan minister in the reign of Queen Mary, who, it is said, married a daughter of John Calvin. John came to New England with his mother from Lincolnshire, where he owned an estate. John was an ensign in 1644, lieutenant in 1645, captain shortly thereafter.

John married Martha Hubbard, daughter of William Hubbard. Martha was born in 1613. John died in 1649; his will was probated 27 March 1649. After John's death, Martha married about 1651 to Simon Eyre of Boston; she died in 1687, (SEE HUBBARD FAMILY).

Issue:

1. John, d. Boston 1653
2. Martha
3. Richard
4. WILLIAM, m. Mary Lawrence; d. London
5. Elizabeth
6. Judith, d. 1656

WILLIAM WHITTINGHAM
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WILLIAM 2, John 1. William, son of John, graduated at Harvard College in 1660; married Mary Lawrence, daughter of John Lawrence of Ipswich. William died in

London of smallpox where he had gone to take possession of the family estate. Mary died at Boston Nov. 1671.

Issue:

1. Richard, Harvard College 1689, went to London and enjoyed the family estate in Lincolnshire
2. William, d. in the West Indies
3. Mary, m. Gov. Saltonstall
4. Elizabeth, m. (1) Samuel Appleton; m. (2) Rev. Edward Payson
5. MARTHA, m. Rev. John Rogers 4 Mar. 1691 (SEE ROGERS FAMILY)

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HUBBARD FAMILY

WILLIAM HUBBARD was born in 1594 in England, came to Ipswich, Massachusetts in 1635 in the Defense. He was a freeman in 1638, represented the General Court in 1638 and for six years following. In 1662 he removed to Boston and died there in 1670. He married Judith Knapp.

Issue:

1. William, b. in England in 1621; d. 1704; was freeman 1653; graduated Harvard 1642 and ordained, became minister of Ipswich and the Historian of New England; m. Margaret Rogers, daughter of Rev. Nathaniel and Margaret (Crane) Rogers (SEE ROGERS FAMILY).
2. Richard, graduated Harvard 1653; d. 3 May 1681; wrote his name "Hubberd"
3. Nathaniel
4. MARTHA, b. 1613 in England; d. 1687; m. John Whittingham (SEE WHITTINGHAM FAMILY). James Savage, in his New England Historical and Genealogical Register, says Martha may have been William Hubbard's sister, instead of daughter, but Frederick Adams Virkus, in his Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy, says, "daughter of William".

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CHAPTER XXIII

LEFTWICH FAMILY

Our Leftwich line goes back to Adelis the Great, King of Sweden, through Rognivald the Magnificent, great-grandson of Olaf, King of Norway. Rognivald, who died 890, was the father of Rollo the Dane,and his brother Malabulc was the progenitor of the Leftwich Line. Descendants of the two brothers united when Matilda, born ca. 1230, married Robert de Croxton, d. 1294. This Robert assumed the name Robert de Leftwyche. Leftwich Hall, in Chester County, England, was destroyed in 1345 and rebuilt by Richard de Leftwyche III, deputy constable of Chester Castle. From Historical Southern Families, Vol. XX, edited by Mrs. Joan Bennett Boddie.

RALPH LEFTWICH
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RALPH LEFTWICH 1, was our immigrant ancestor to America. He was born ca. 1628, the son of Thomas Leftwich. On 10 August 1658 he patented 300 acres of land on the Peanketank River in New Kent County, Virginia for the transportation of six persons into this Colony. On 18 October 1662, the patent was renewed to him (Grant Book 4, p. 272, State Land office, Richmond, Va.). On 17 August 1663 (Accomac Co., Va. Vol. I, p.27) John Wise was granted a certificate for 200 acres of land for the transportation of four persons into the Colony of Virginia, one of which was Ellinor Leftwich. Ellinor may have been the wife of Ralph since they are the only two Leftwich immigrants to Virginia. Inasmuch as all records for New Kent County and surrounding counties, were destroyed by the Federal Army during the War Between the States, it is impossible to determine children and their descendants. However, it appears that he had at least one son who remained in Virginia and reared a family.

THOMAS LEFTWICH
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THOMAS 2, Ralph 1. Thomas was born ca. 1660-1670 and died ca. 1730 in Caroline County, Virginia. He married, first, Elizabeth Rosier, daughter of John Rosier, Sr., of Westmoreland County, who died without issue between 25 Nov. 1700 and Jan. 1702. About 1706/7 Thomas married a second time, Mary North, of Essex County, daughter of Augustine and Dorothy North, originally from Ware Parish, Gloucester County, Va. Augustine North died prior to 1698. Thomas married a third time, to Sarah, surname unknown, who, after Thomas' death, about 1730, married William Herndon of Caroline County.

Issue 3 children, by second wife, Mary North:

1. Mary, b. ca. 1708 (she is mentioned in the Will of her grandmother, Mrs. Dorothy Henry, formerly Mrs. Dorothy North.)
2. Thomas, Jr., b. ca. 1710. It is probable that the King William County branch of the Leftwich family is descended from him.
3. AUGUSTINE, b. ca. 1712-15, moved to Bedford County in 1751 and died there in 1795. He was probably named for his grandfather, Augustine North. It is also probable that Thomas and Augustine were born after 1709 since their grandmother makes no mention of them in her will.

AUGUSTINE LEFTWICH, SR.
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AUGUSTINE, Sr. 3, Thomas 2, Ralph 1. Augustine was born ca. 1712-15 in what was originally New Kent County, Va., that part of which is now Caroline County. He moved with his family to Lunenburg County in 1751 and settled in the part which is now Bedford County. The earliest record of Augustine in Beford County was a grant to him, dated 26 Sept. 1760.

He was twice married, his first wife may have been Mary Moxley, daughter of Richard Moxley; and his second wife was Elizabeth Stovall, widow of John Stovall, 2 Dec. 1779, in Bedford County.

Augustine became a wealthy man and owned a large amount of land and a large number of slaves. He bought and conveyed several thousand acres of land between 1761 and 1795. Before he made his Will, he had already deeded each of his children a number of slaves, some personal property and a large plantation.

His Will, dated 10 June 1794, in Bedford County shows that his property was divided into eleven equal shares and distributed as follows: (1) To the estate of Colonel Thomas Leftwich, (2) William Leftwich, (3)Joshua Early's heirs (this would be daughter, Mary's children), (4) Merriman Carter's heirs (this would be Frances Leftwich's children), (5) Augustine Leftwich, Jr., (6) Uriah Leftwich, (7) Littleberry Leftwich, (8) John Leftwich's heirs, (9) Joel Leftwich, (10) James Peatross (daughter Nancy's husband), (11) Jabez Leftwich.

There is supposedly a twelfth child, Rebecca, who married a Mr. Moorman. On 18 October 1786, Augustine deeded land and a slave to "my grandson, James Moorman." Rebecca may have died after this one child was born inasmuch as Charles Moorman (who was probably her husband) married a second time.

Issue:

1. William, b. 1737; d. 31 May 1820; m. Elizabeth Haynes
2. Thomas, b. 1740; d. 3 May 1816; m. (1) Mary Challis; m. (2) Bethunia Ellis; m. (3) Jane (or Gincey) Stratton
3. Augustine, Jr., b. 10 Sept. 1744; d. intestate; m. (1) Mary Turner; m. (2) Mrs. Sarah Turner
4. Uriah, b. ca. 1748; m. Nancy Keith
5. JOHN, b. ca. 1750; d. 26 Feb. 1797 in Oglethorpe County, Ga.
6. Littleberry, b. 1757; d. 1823 Bedford County, Va.; m. (1) Frances Hopkins; m. (2) Frances Halley
7. Joel Leftwich, b. 22 Nov. 1760; d. 20 Oct. 1846; m. Nancy (or Ann) Turner
8. Jabez, b. 1766; d. 22 June 1855; m. Delilah Stovall, 1 Feb. 1785
9. Frances, d. between 10 June 1794 and 24 Aug. 1819; m. Merriman Carter
10. Mary, b. 1746; d. 1818; m. Joshua Early, Sr., 26 April 1763
11. Nancy, d. ca. 1840; m. James Peatross
12. Rebecca, m. probably Charles Moorman

JOHN LEFTWICH
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JOHN 4, Augustine 3, Thomas 2, Ralph 1. Captain John Leftwich was born ca. 1750 and died 26 Feb. 1797 in Oglethorpe County, Ga. The records of the Superior Court of Oglethorpe County, Ga. show that on 6 July 1797 Sophey Leftwich, as administratrix of the estate of John Leftwich, deceased, gave bond for the

faithful performances of her duties, with Jeffrey Early and Samuel Stewart as sureties.

There are several letters in the papers of General Joel Leftwich, passed on to W. E. Leftwich, Lawyer, in Virginia, referring to John Leftwich and his children. In a letter from Alexander Cummins, dated 13 May 1797, postmarked Oglethorpe County, Ga. to General Joel Leftwich, it states that his (Joel) brother, John Leftwich died 26 Feb. 1797, leaving several children and one to be born. In another letter, dated 31 July 1803, he says, "....I must now inform you as to your brother's children. Would to God they were all with you. I have made every effort to get their mother's consent to send them to you, but all in vain. The man who has stepped into the family is too good a man to bring up fatherless children." Another, from John W. Leftwich, dated 7 October 1804, from Greene County, Ga., addressed "Dear Uncle". Another from Joel Leftwich, Esq., addressed "Honoured Uncle" signed "Your dutiful Nephew". It would seem that John Leftwich had a number of children, but only three are known by name:

Issue:

1. Joel W., b. ca. 1787, as he had a crop in 1807 in Bedford County, Va.
2. John W., b. ca. 1784
3. James H., who witnessed a deed from Phinzey and Son to Joel W. Leftwich on 30 July 1813, was probably a son of Captain John and a brother of Joel W. and John W.

_____ LEFTWICH 5, John 4, Augustine 3, Thomas 2, Ralph 1. All indications are that the following listed children are Joel W., John W., or James H. Leftwich's children. No one seems to know which of these three sons of Captain John and Sophia Leftwich, was the following children's father. The records of Greene, Oglethorpe, Morgan and Madison counties, Georgia were unable to find any further records. The Leftwiches apparently moved to other counties or other states.

Mrs. S. F. Bohannan of Lithonia, Ga., in 1929, gave information to the writer of the Leftwich-Turner Families of Virginia and Their Connections by Walter Lee Hopkins, that her great grandfather Leftwich (his name was unknown to her) removed from Virginia to Morgan County, Ga. and that he had the following children listed below. As a child, I remember my mother taking me to a Bohannon home near Smyrna Camp Ground (Conyers, Ga.) and we were always told that they were "some kin" to mother - but what??

Issue:

1. JOHN MONROE, b. 3 April 1818; d. 7 July 1857; m. (1) Nancy A. Mitchell, b. 2 Dec. 1816; d. 26 Jan. 1854; m. (2) NANCY JANE SPINKS, b. 15 March 1831; d. 12 Aug. 1871
2. James M., b. 27 Dec. 1819; d. 20 Oct. 1876; m. Sarah J. Mitchell
3. Joel, b. 1826; d. Aug. 1863; m. Susan Mitchell
4. Jabez, moved to Ala. about 1856; m. Nancy P. Dingler
5. Matilda, m. John Mann
6. Unity, m. John Key
7. Cynthia, m. John Chafin
8. Sophia, died young

JOHN MONROE LEFTWICH
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JOHN MONROE LEFTWICH 6, ____ 5, John 4, Augustine 3, Thomas 2, Ralph 1. John was born 3 April 1818 in Georgia (exact county not known) and died 7 July 1857 in Newton County, Georgia. John married, first, Nancy A. Mitchell, born 2 Dec. 1816, and died 26 January 1854. His second wife was Nancy Jane Spinks of Newton County, who was born 15 March 1831 and died 12 Aug. 1871. She was the daughter of Garrett and Nancy M.Spinks. John and his first wife Nancy Mitchell, had six children; John and his second wife, Nancy Jane Spinks, had two children. John and Nancy Jane (Spinks) were my great grandparents. All of this information regarding this generation, births, marriages, and deaths, are listed in the Bible of John Monroe Leftwich and I am the owner of this Bible.

After the death of John, Nancy Jane married again; to George Washington Parker, and three children were born to them. Nancy Jane (Spinks) Leftwich Parker died 12 August 1871.

John and his first wife are buried at Smyrna Camp Ground Cemetery, just a few miles southwest of Conyers, in Rockdale County. For all of these years, their graves were not marked, but just recently three of their great granddaughters have had markers placed at these graves. My great grandmother was John's second wife, and she is not buried at Smyrna; apparently she is buried with the Parker family. I have looked for many years for her grave, but to no avail! The only clue came from a granddaughter of Nancy and George W. Parker, that they are buried in Henry County, Georgia, near McDonough, exact location not known.

It should be noted that John's first wife, Nancy Mitchell, was the sister of Sarah J. Mitchell, who married John's brother, James; and that Susan Mitchell, who married another brother, Joel, was a cousin of Nancy and Sarah.

Issue:

By first wife, Nancy Mitchell:

1. Mary Ann Leftwich, b. 20 Aug. 1844; d. 2 Sept. 1869; m. A. F. Sims
2. James Madison, b. 23 Feb. 1846; d. 6 Dec. 1922; m. Clemintine Parker, 28 Dec. 1869
3. Nancy Paskil, b. 16 May 1847; d. 6 Sept. 1922; m. Robert Hollingsworth, 14 Dec. 1864
4. Sarah Elizabeth, b. 10 Dec. 1848; m. Thomas Cole
5. Matilda Frances, b. 5 Oct. 1850; d. 10 Oct. 1905; m. George Hollingsworth, 4 Nov. 1869
6. William Marshall, b. 20 Nov. 1853; d. at birth

By 2nd wife, NANCY JANE SPINKS:

7. MARTHA GREEN, b. 28 Oct. 1855; d. 22 Sept. 1925; m. Walter Barnett Wolcott 9 Dec. 1875. These were my grandparents. (SEE WOLCOTT FAMILY)
8. Margaret Dean, b. 8 Dec. 1856; d. 10 Jan. 1910; m. A.G.Butler, 27 Nov.1873

Sources of information for Chapter XXIII:

1. Bible of John Monroe Leftwich, owned by the writer
2. Accomac County, Va. Deed Book, Vol.I, p.27; in Va. State Archives
3. Grant Book 4, p.272, State Land Records, Va. State Archives, Richmond,Va.
4. Leftwich-Turner Families of Virginia and Their Connection by Walter Lee Hopkins
5. Historical Southern Families, Vol. XX, edited by Mrs. Joan Bennett Boddie

STATE OF GEORGIA,

NEWTON COUNTY.

You are authorized and permitted to join in the Honorable State of Matrimony John M Lefleurch and Nancy J Spinks according to the Rites of your Church, provided there be no lawful cause to obstruct the same, according to the Constitution and Laws of this State, and for so doing this shall be your sufficient License.

Given under my hand and seal this 23d day of December 1854.

Wm D Luckie Ordinary. L. S.

To any Minister of the Gospel, Judge, Justice of the Inferior Court, or Justice of the Peace, to celebrate.

I hereby certify that John M Lefleurch and Nancy J Spinks were joined together in the Holy Bans of Matrimony, on the 28th day of December 1854, by me.

Recorded July 28th 1855 Douglass Puckett J.P.

Wm D Luckie Ordy

CHAPTER XXIV

SPINKS FAMILY

Arms: Azure, a cross masculy argent between four eagles displayed or.
Crest: A talbot passant gules bezantee, gorged with three fuils argent.

From the middle of the seventeenth century until about 1727, in England, Edmund Spinckes and his son, Nathaniel, were outstanding during the political turmoil when religion was at a low ebb.

Edmund was born ca. 1610, educated at Emmanuel College, Cambridge, was ordained, became chaplain to Thomas Elmes, Esq. of Huntingdonshire, and married Thomas' daughter, Martha. At the time of his marriage, his father-in-law settled seven hundred and fifty pounds, and, additionally, land at Warmington, Northamptonshire, worth about a hundred pounds a year in rent. Edmund died at Warmington in 1671, his wife died in 1693. In his Will he names four sons: Nathaniel, Seth, William, Elmes, and daughter, Martha. He left to his eldest son, Nathaniel, his interest in an iron works in Boston, Mass. which Edmund held with Martha's only brother, Boniface Burton.

Edmund's son, Nathaniel, was born in 1653, educated at Trinity College, Cambridge. He was ordained and later became a Bishop and he is buried in St. Paul's Cathedral, London.

It is thought that the two immigrants to America, William Spinks who settled in Maryland, and Robert Spinke(s) who settled in Virginia, were brothers of Edmund. The Will of Edmund's father was never found, but these two immigrants were the right age to be his sons. Further, Robert Spinks' land in Virginia joined the land owned by John Burton. Edmund's mother was born a Burton, and this John Burton is thought to be a cousin of Robert Spinke(s).

Robert Spinke(s) was in Virginia by 1637 and was the progenitor of this early Virginia family. He was a headright of Arthur Bayly (Land Patent Book I, part 2, p.513, 15 Jan. 1637). Robert had at least two sons: John Spinks, who lived in Ware Parish, Gloucester County, Virginia; and Enoch Spincks who lived and died in Westmoreland County, Va., married Grace ____, who was the administrator of his estatre, 25 Nov. 1724. They apparently had no children.

John Spinks lived in Ware Parish, Gloucester County, Virginia, and in 1704 was granted 300 acres of land in Gloucester County and in 1711 was granted 464 acres in Gloucester County. (Records of Gloucester, Vol. I, p.85, and Land Patent Book 10, p. 15). When John died he was buried on his estate, about four miles from Gloucester Courthouse, near Bellamy Church. His epitaph reads:

> "Here lies the body of John Spinks who died inch by inch. Here lies John Spinks who never did flinch. Here lies John Spinks who never did fear to drink rum, wine and good strong beer."

This John Spinks had at least two children:

1. John, planter, d. Fairfax County, Va., left a Will, signed 21 Dec. 1778, probated 15 Feb. 1779 (Will Book "D" p.99) in which he named his children: Rolly (Raleigh), Chandler, Presley, Enoch, Linzey, Synthia, Gerrard (was this where our Garrett's name came from?) and a daughter, Elizabeth Cooper.

2. ENOCK, son of John of Ware Parish, Gloucester County, Va., b. ca. 1715; d. 1772; m. Amey ____.

Enock migrated to North Carolina and lived in the Deep River Section of Orange County in 1755. Guilford County was formed from a part of Orange County and his Will is in Guilford County, dated 1772. In 1779, this same land became Randolph County. His wife's name was Amey, who was still living in 1790 in Randolph County. Enock's Will is in Will Book A, p. 330, proved at the May Court that year. In his Will he names his wife, Amey, and children:

1. John, my son, land on Deep River and a negro man named Adams. John married Sarah Baker and migrated to Lincoln County, Georgia, where he died in 1799. His children were Enoch, John, Isaac, Zakariah, William, Sally, Susannah, Rebecca and Nancy who married a Worthy.
2. Enoch, my son, land on Fork Creek. He was b. 25 May 1762; d. 18 Aug. 1842; m. 15 April 1784, Elizabeth Needham.
3. Martha, my daughter, a lot of land including a store building. She m. 23 Feb. 1773, Arthur Reade. They sold the land which was a part of the original plantation of Enoch.
4. Lewis, my son, land and plantation I now live on, from the old mill and the line of my son Enoch.
5. Rawley, a seventy gallon still. Rawley (Raleigh, Rolly), b. ca. 1763; m. ca. 1790, Mary Pearce. They moved to Clarke County, Ala. in 1822 or before.
6. Garrett, my son, money and furniture.
7. Sarah, money and furniture.

Our Garrett Spinks, who was the father of Nancy Jane Spinks, who married John Monroe Leftwich, was the son of one of these sons. It could not have been the above son, John, inasmuch as his children were named in his Will and there is no Garrett. Son, Raleigh, moved to Alabama. I believe Enock's son, Garrett, named a son Garrett. I can find nothing more on Enock's son, Garrett, except the 1820 United States Census in Clarke County, Georgia (Athens) lists a Garrett Spinks and a William Spinks. both with several small children. In the 1830 Census William and Garrett Spinks are in Newton County, Ga. This Garrett is definitely our Nancy Jane's father. In 1830 he is listed as married with five small children, three under 5 and two in the age 5-10 group. In the 1840 Census Garrett Spinks is listed in DeKalb County, Ga. with nine children.

The above William Spinks remained in Newton County during the 1830s inasmuch as I find several deeds on file in Newton County. Then I do not find him any more. In 1836 I find where Garrett Spinks sold land in Newton County. Could he have moved or was it a change of County lines?? I have also found deeds on William Spinks, Garrett Spinks and John Leftwich in the same area of Newton County. This land is in the area of Smyrna Camp Ground below Conyers (Conyers now is in Rockdale County, part of that land was at one time in Henry County!).

In the 1850 Census (the first Census to finally list the names of the wife and children) I find our Garrett (name spelled Jarrett) in Butts County, Georgia.

It shows Garrett as being 49 years of age, born in Georgia, a farmer. His wife's name is Nancy M. and her age is shown as 48, born in Georgia. There is also a Mary Spinks, age 88, living in his household. Was this his mother?? The children are as follows:

1. NANCY, age 20. This is our Nancy Jane who married John Monroe Leftwich.
2. Garrett, age 18
3. Jackson, age 16
4. Elizabeth, age 14
5. Lewis, age 12
6. Hiram, age 10
7. Amanda, age 7
8. William, age 5

In the 1860 Census, Garrett is back in Newton County and Garrett is shown as age 58, and wife Nancy M. is shown as age 56. The ones living in his household at that time are:

1. Elizabeth, age 24, Seamstress
2. Hiram, age 19
3. Amanda, age 17
4. William, age 14
5. NANCY LEFTWICH, age 30, Weaver. Nancy married John Leftwich in 1854, he died 7 July 1857, and Nancy is home again with two small children.
6. Martha G. Leftwich, age 5. This is my grandmother. (SEE WOLCOTT FAMILY)
7. Margaret D. Leftwich, age 3 (Married A. G. Butler)
8. Margaret Spinks, age 20, Seamstress (Was this a daughter-in-law??)
9. Garrett, age 2

Nancy Jane Spinks was born 15 March 1831 and married John Monroe Leftwich 28 December 1854. John died 7 July 1857 (SEE LEFTWICH FAMILY). After the death of John, Nancy married George Washington Parker and they had three children. Nancy died 12 August 1871 and is buried in Henry County, near McDonough, exact location not known.

Issue John Monroe Leftwich and Nancy Jane Spinks: (SEE LEFTWICH FAMILY)
1. MARTHA GREEN, b. 28 Oct.1855; d. 22 Sept. 1925; m. Walter Barnett Wolcott
2. Margaret Dean, b. 8 Dec. 1856; d. 10 Jan. 1910; m. A.G.Butler, 27 Nov.1873

Issue George Washington Parker and Nancy Jane Spinks:
3. James Robert Parker, m. Bertha Lee Chapman, 4 children
4. William F. Parker, never married
5. Lula Parker, m. ____Merritt.

Sources of information for Chapter XXIV:
1. My Southern Families by Hiram Kennedy Douglass, p.385-390
2. United States Census Records
3. Bible of John Monroe Leftwich, owned by the writer
4. Newton County, Ga. Deeds and Court House Records
5. Virginia State Archives, Richmond, Deed and Will Records

PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 1

DATE

DOROTHY WILLIAMS TURNER
NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

1454 Dallas Circle
STREET ADDRESS

Marietta, Georgia 30064
CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. ____ ON CHART NO. ____

1 DOROTHY WILLIAMS
BORN 29 Aug.1921
WHERE Atlanta, Ga.
WHEN MARRIED 15 Aug.1947
DIED
WHERE
ELDRIDGE HOYLE TURNER,SR.
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 JOHN CHAPMAN WILLIAMS
BORN 3 April 1888
WHERE Tyler, Texas
WHEN MARRIED 24 April 1917
DIED 17 Jan.1953
WHERE Houston,Texas
Buried Forest Park Cemetery, Houston, Texas

3 MAGGIE (MARGARET) LENORA WOLCOTT
BORN 29 Aug. 1887
WHERE Griffin, Ga.
DIED 19 July 1957
WHERE Atlanta, Ga.
Buried West View Cemetery Atlanta, Ga.

4 REV.CHARLES CRAIG WILLIAMS
BORN 12 April 1856
WHERE Williamsburg Dist.,S.C.
WHEN MARRIED 2 Oct. 1883
DIED 18 Aug.1913
WHERE. Mena, Ark.
Buried Hope, Ark. Cave Hill (now Rose Hill) Cemetery

5 FLORA LYLE McNUTT
BORN 22 Nov. 1848
WHERE Farmville, Va.
DIED 27 Aug. 1926
WHERE Dallas,Texas
Buried Cave Hill, Hope,Ark.

6 WALTER BARNETT WOLCOTT
BORN 5 Sept. 1854
WHERE Griffin, Ga.
WHEN MARRIED 9 Dec. 1875
DIED 21 Oct. 1927
WHERE Rex,Ga.
Buried West View Cemetery Atlanta, Ga.

7 MARTHA GREEN LEFIWICH
BORN 28 Oct. 1855
WHERE Newton County, Ga.
DIED 22 Sept. 1925
WHERE Rex, Ga.
Buried West View, Atlanta,Ga.

8 DR. JOHN CRAIG WILLIAMS
BORN 5 Oct. 1828
WHERE Chesterfield,S.C.
WHEN MARRIED Jan.1854
DIED 22 March 1858
WHERE Williamsburg Dist., S.C.

9 JENNET DRUCILLA BURGESS
BORN 16 March 1835
WHERE Williamsburg Dist.,S.C.
DIED 23 Dec. 1917
WHERE Hempstead County,Ark.

10 JAMES MORTON McNUTT
BORN 6 Dec. 1813
WHERE Augusta(Rockbridge)Co.,Va.
WHEN MARRIED 22 Sept.1842
DIED 3 May 1876
WHERE Hampden-Sydney,Va.

11 MARY CARRINGTON VENABLE
BORN 1821
WHERE Prince Edward Co.,Va
DIED 21 June 1914 (92 yrs.)
WHERE Hickory,N.C.
Buried Hampden-Sydney,Va.

12 WILLIAM WADSWORTH WOLCOTT
BORN 29 March 1829
WHERE Amherst,Mass.
WHEN MARRIED 20 Sept.1853
DIED 19 Oct.1917
WHERE Buried West View,Atlanta

13 ELIZABETH HOLLINGSWORTH
BORN 15 Aug. 1830
WHERE DeKalb County, Ga.
DIED 1 Oct.1919
WHERE Buried West View,Atlanta

14 JOHN MONROE LEFIWICH
BORN 3 April 1818
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 28 Dec.1854
DIED 7 July 1857
WHERE Buried Smyrna Camp Ground Conyers,Ga.

15 NANCY JANE SPINKS
BORN 15 March 1831
WHERE
DIED 13 Aug.1871
WHERE (2nd Hus.Geo.W.Parker)

16 DR. ALEXANDER WILLIAMS
CONT. ON CHART 2

17 SARAH A. CRAIG
CONT. ON CHART 3

18 JAMES GAMBLE BURGESS
CONT. ON CHART 4

19 MARY McCOTTRY McGILL
CONT. ON CHART 5

20 JAMES McNUTT
CONT. ON CHART 6

21 MARY ANDERSON SMITH MORTON
CONT. ON CHART 7

22 SAMUEL WOODSON VENABLE,JR.
CONT. ON CHART 8

23 JANE STUART REID
CONT. ON CHART 9

24 WALTER WOLCOTT
CONT. ON CHART 10

25 LAURA BOARDMAN WADSWORTH
CONT. ON CHART 11

26 JOSEPH HOLLINGSWORTH
CONT. ON CHART 12

27 ELIZABETH ANN JANE CARR ROGERS
CONT. ON CHART 13

28 ~~JOEL W.,JOHN W., OR JAMES H.~~ LEFIWICH
CONT. ON CHART 14

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30 GARRETT SPINKS
CONT. ON CHART

31 NANCY M.
CONT. ON CHART

PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 2

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 16 ON CHART NO. 1

1 DR.ALEXANDER WILLIAMS
BORN 3 Nov. 1801
WHERE Williamsburg Dist.,S.C.
WHEN MARRIED Nov. 1827
DIED 7 Jan. 1873
WHERE Dardanelle, Ark.
SARAH A. CRAIG
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 CHARLES WILLIAMS
BORN 12 June 1762
WHERE Mecklenburg County, VA.
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 4 Feb. 1838
WHERE York District, S.C.
(Age 76)

3 ? ? McRAE or McCREA
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

4 MATHEW WILLIAMS
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE. Mecklenburg County, Va.

5 ? ? JOHNSON
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

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BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 3

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 17 ON CHART NO. 1

1 SARAH A. CRAIG
BORN 7 July 1809
WHERE Chesterfield,S.C.
WHEN MARRIED Nov.1827
DIED 31 Jan. 1860
WHERE Dardanelle, Ark.
DR. ALEXANDER WILLIAMS
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 JOHN CRAIG
BORN 17 Jan. 1755
WHERE Grey Abbey, County Down, Ireland
WHEN MARRIED 22 Feb. 1797
DIED 4 April 1839
WHERE Chesterfield, S.C.

3 SARAH CHAPMAN
BORN 3 March 1778
WHERE Westmoreland County,Va.
DIED 6 May 1852
WHERE Chesterfield,S.C.

4 HUGH CRAIG
BORN 1718
WHERE Grey Abbey, County Down, Ireland
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 1804
WHERE Rowan County, N.C.

5 JANE
BORN 1722
WHERE Ireland
DIED 1810
WHERE Rowan County, N.C.

6 LT. JAMES CHAPMAN
BORN 25 March 1749
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 1782
WHERE Virginia
(During Revolutionary War)

7 ELIZABETH ALLEN
BORN 6 March 1752
WHERE Virginia
DIED
WHERE
2nd Husband: Nathan Shepherd

8 BORN / WHERE / WHEN MARRIED / DIED / WHERE

9 BORN / WHERE / DIED / WHERE

10 BORN / WHERE / WHEN MARRIED / DIED / WHERE

11 BORN / WHERE / DIED / WHERE

12 JOHN CHAPMAN
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 29 Dec. 1775
WHERE Spotsylvania County,Va.

13 Unknown
BORN / WHERE / DIED / WHERE

14 ERASMUS WITHERS ALLEN
BORN 6 Feb. 1712
WHERE Essex County, Va.
WHEN MARRIED 6 Jan.1738
DIED 26 Oct. 1787
WHERE

15 SARAH ?
BORN 13 Feb. 1716
WHERE England
DIED 1805
WHERE

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28 WILLIAM ALLEN, SR.
CONT. ON CHART 3A
29 MARGARET WAGGONER
CONT. ON CHART 3A
30 CONT. ON CHART
31 CONT. ON CHART

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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 3A

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 28 ON CHART NO. 3

1 WILLIAM ALLEN, SR.
BORN 1677
WHERE Essex County,Va.
WHEN MARRIED 11 June 1696
DIED 17 Mar.1740
WHERE Essex County, Va.
MARGARET WAGGONER *
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE
*Dtr. of John & Rachel Waggoner
John b.ca.1643
Rachel b.ca.1656
Will 16 Apr.1718

2 JOHN ALLEN
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

3 BARBARA WITHERS
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

4 THOMAS or WILLIAM ALLEN
BORN ca. 1595
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE.

5 JANE
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

6 ERASMUS WITHERS
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 1681
WHERE Northumberland Co.,Va.
Will probated 15 June 1681

7 FRANCES JONES
BORN ca. 166?
WHERE
DIED
WHERE
2nd Husband: John Curtis,Jr.

8 BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

9 BORN
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DIED
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10 BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
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11 BORN
WHERE
DIED
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12 BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

13 ??
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

14 ROBERT JONES
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED Will Proved 1 May 1675
WHERE Fleets Bay,Northumberland Co.,Va.

15 MARTHA LLEWLLYN
BORN
WHERE
DIED Will proved 20 Dec.1677
WHERE

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24 CONT. ON CHART
25 CONT. ON CHART
26 ERASMUS SNELLING of London,England
CONT. ON CHART
27 CONT. ON CHART
28 REV. ROWLAND JONES
b.ca.1608
d.1685
CONT. ON CHART
29 ALICE
CONT. ON CHART
30 CAPT.DANIEL LLEWLLYN
d.10 Mar.1665,Charles City,Co.,Va.
CONT. ON CHART
31 ANNE (widow of Robt. Hallon)
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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 4

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 18 ON CHART NO. 1

1 JAMES GAMBLE BURGESS
BORN 30 Oct.1809
WHERE Williamsburg Dist.,S.C.
WHEN MARRIED 24 April 1834
DIED 4 Dec. 1855
WHERE Williamsburg Dist.,S.C.
MARY McCOTTRY McGILL
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 WILLIAM BURGESS
BORN 19 Aug.1770
WHERE Ireland
WHEN MARRIED 27 Aug.1795
DIED 24 Jan.1816
WHERE Williamsburg Dist., S.C.

3 JANET SCOTT
BORN 2 Nov. 1774
WHERE
DIED 18 July 1856
WHERE Williamsburg Dist.,S.C.

4 JOHN BURGESS
BORN
WHERE Ireland
WHEN MARRIED
DIED About 1794
WHERE. Williamsburg Dist.,SC
(Came from Ireland 1770)

5 MARGARET GAMBLE
BORN
WHERE Ireland
DIED
WHERE Ireland

6 LT. JOSEPH SCOTT
BORN 18 Aug. 1747
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 19 Feb. 1771
DIED 5 July 1805
WHERE Williamsburg Dist.,S.C.

7 JANET McCREA
BORN 5 Aug. 1747
WHERE
DIED 7 Dec.1815
WHERE Williamsburg Dist.,S.C.
Will dated 2 Dec. 1815

8 BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

9 BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

10 BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

11 BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

12 CAPT. WILLIAM SCOTT
BORN ca.1718
WHERE County Down, Ireland
WHEN MARRIED
DIED after 1778
WHERE Williamsburg Dist.,S.C.

13 MARY ERVIN
BORN
WHERE
DIED 12 Dec. 1773 ?
WHERE

14 ALEXANDER McCREA
BORN
WHERE Shetland Islands
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 27 Dec.1791
WHERE Williamsburg Dist.,S.C.

15 MARGARET McCALLA
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

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24 JOHN SCOTT, b. 1687, Galloway,Scotland
d.1749,Williamsburg,S.C.
CONT. ON CHART

25 MARGARET DICK
CONT. ON CHART

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30 WILLIAM McCALLA
d.27 May 1758
CONT. ON CHART

31 JANET McCREA
CONT. ON CHART

PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 5

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 19 ON CHART NO. 1

1 MARY McCOTTRY McGILL
BORN 7 Oct. 1814
WHERE Williamsburg, S.C.
WHEN MARRIED 26 April 1834
DIED 17 July 1898
WHERE Hempstead County, Ark.
JAMES GAMBLE BURGESS
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 SAMUEL McGILL
BORN 25 Feb.1781
WHERE Williamsburg, S.C.
WHEN MARRIED 21 Aug. 1806
DIED 10 Nov. 1840
WHERE Williamsburg,S.C.
Buried Indiantown Presbyterian Church Cemetery

3 MARY ANN SANDERS
BORN 12 Dec.1785
WHERE Muddy Creek,Williamsburg S.C.
DIED 7 May 1850
WHERE Williamsburg,S.C.
Buried Indiantown Presbyterian Church Cemetery

4 ROGER McGILL
BORN 28 Aug. 1742
WHERE Williamsburg,S.C.
WHEN MARRIED 23 Feb. 1767
DIED
WHERE Williamsburg,S.C.
Buried Indiantown Presbyterian Church Cemetery, No Marker

5 ELIZABETH WESTBERRY
BORN 1746
WHERE
DIED 24 July 1787,age 41
WHERE Williamsburg, S.C.
Buried Indiantown Presby. Church Cemetery

6 JOHN SANDERS
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE St. Simons Island, Ga.

7 JANNET (JANIE) JAMES
BORN
WHERE Williamsburg,S.C.
DIED 12 Dec. 1785
WHERE Williamsburg,S.C.

8 HUGH MCGILL
BORN 1702
WHERE Ireland
WHEN MARRIED 10 June 1732
DIED 30 June 1755
WHERE Williamsburg,S.C.

9 SARAH GORDON
BORN 1710
WHERE 2nd Husband: James Dickey
DIED 24 Dec.1759
WHERE

10 JONATHAN WESTBERRY
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 2 Dec.1746
DIED
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11 MARY TAMPLET
BORN
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14 JOHN JAMES
BORN 1688 Known as "John of Ox Swamp"
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE Williamsburg Dist.,S.C.

15 JEAN McCALLA
BORN
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DIED
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18 ROGER GORDON
d.19 Nov.1750
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19 ~~MARY,d.1766,Will proved 23 May~~ 1766
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20 JOHN WESTBERRY,son of JONATHAN & SARAH WESTBERRY
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21 MARY COLLINS,dtr.JONAH COLLINS
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22 PETER TAMPLET, d. 6 Nov. 1742
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23 ELIZABETH
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28 ~~JOHN WILLIAM JAMES, Capt.Dragons~~
b.1657, Wales
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29 ANN WYNDHAM,dtr.Sir Thomas Wyndham
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30 ~~WILLIAM McCALLA~~
d.27 May 1758
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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 6

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 20 ON CHART NO. 1

1 JAMES McNUTT
BORN 24 Jan.1773
WHERE Augusta Co., Va.
WHEN MARRIED 31 May 1811 (Marriage Bond)
DIED 10 Aug.1851
WHERE Rockbridge County, Va.
MARY ANDERSON SMITH MORTON
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE
Buried New Providence Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Rockbridge Co., Va.

2 JAMES McNUTT
BORN 1738
WHERE Maryland
WHEN MARRIED 1768
DIED 6 Sept. 1811
WHERE Augusta County, Va.
Buried Old Providence Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Augusta Co., VA.

3 MARGARET McELROY
BORN 1744
WHERE
DIED
WHERE 22 Sept.1820 Augusta County, Va.
Buried Old Providence Church

4 ALEXANDER McNUTT
BORN
WHERE Scotland
WHEN MARRIED In Ireland
DIED
WHERE. Orange County, Va.

5 JANE ??
BORN
WHERE Ireland
DIED
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BORN
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WHEN MARRIED
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8 JOHN MacNAUGHT
BORN
WHERE Scotland
WHEN MARRIED (last mentioned 1696)
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16 JOHN MacNAUGHT (last mentioned 1669)
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17 FLORENCE GORDON (last mentioned 1675)
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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 7

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NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 21 ON CHART NO. 1

1 MARY ANDERSON SMITH MORTON
BORN 15 Mar.1790
WHERE Prince Edward Co.,Va.
WHEN MARRIED 31 May 1811 (Marriage Bond)
DIED 8 Jan.1874
WHERE Rockbridge Co., Va.

JAMES McNITT
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE
Buried New Providence Church
Rockbridge Co., Va.

2 JAMES MORTON
BORN 8 Sept. 1756
WHERE Prince Edward Co., Va.
WHEN MARRIED 5 Nov.1782, Powhatan Co.,Va.
DIED 21 Jan.1847
WHERE Prince Edward Co., Va.

3 MARY SMITH
BORN 4 July 1755
WHERE Powhatan Co.,Va.
DIED 2 Feb.1815
WHERE Prince Edward Co.,Va.
"Willington"

4 CAPT.JOHN MORTON
BORN 9 Feb.1730
WHERE Henrico Co., Va.
WHEN MARRIED 1750
DIED Dec.1796
WHERE Clinch Mtn.,Va.
(Now W.Va.)

5 MARY ELIZABETH ANDERSON
BORN 19 Nov.1736
WHERE Farmville, Va.
DIED
WHERE Prince Edward Co.,Va.
Buried in family cemetery at "Morton Hall" in unmarked grave.

6 WILLIAM SMITH
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE
Of "Montrose" Powhatan Co., Va.

7 MARY SMITH
BORN 1726
WHERE
DIED 1804
WHERE

8 THOMAS MORTON
BORN 1690
WHERE Henrico Co., Va.
WHEN MARRIED 1718
DIED 1731
WHERE Henrico Co., Va.

9 ELIZABETH WOODSON
BORN 1699
WHERE (2nd Husband
DIED Edmond Goode)
WHERE Made deed to children 1740

10 THOMAS ANDERSON
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED Will dated 25 Oct.1757
WHERE

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BORN
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DIED
WHERE

12 ROBERT SMITH
BORN of Gloucester
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED Goochland Co.,Va.
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DIED
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14 OBADIAH SMITH
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED ca.1700-1710
DIED 1746
WHERE Henrico Co.,Va.

15 MARY COCKE
BORN ca.1690
WHERE
DIED 1754
WHERE Henrico Co.,Va.

16 JOHN MORTON, m.1682 — CONT. ON CHART
17 JOANNE HUGHES — CONT. ON CHART
18 RICHARD WOODSON — CONT. ON CHART 7A
19 ANN SMITH — CONT. ON CHART
20 THOMAS ANDERSON — CONT. ON CHART
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24 WILLIAM SMTIH of Gloucester — CONT. ON CHART
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28 JOHN SMITH of Charles City Co.,Va. — CONT. ON CHART
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30 WILLIAM COCKE son of Richard Cocke b.1655,d.1693 — CONT. ON CHART b.1600 d.1665
31 SARAH FLOWER (2nd wife) — CONT. ON CHART

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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 7A

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 18 ON CHART NO. 7

1 RICHARD WOODSON
BORN 1662
WHERE "Curles" Henrico Co.,Va.
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 1716
WHERE

ANN SMITH
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 ROBERT WOODSON
BORN 1634
WHERE Flower dew Hundred,Va.
WHEN MARRIED ca.1656
DIED ca.1707
WHERE

3 ELIZABETH FERRIS
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

4 DR. JOHN WOODSON
BORN 1586
WHERE Devonshire, England
WHEN MARRIED in England
DIED 1644
WHERE. Virginia

5 SARAH WINSTON
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

6 RICHARD FERRIS
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE
of "Curles" Henrico Co.,Va.

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12 NICHOLAS FERRIS
BORN
WHERE to Va. 1619
WHEN MARRIED Leistershire, England
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WHERE Virginia

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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 8

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NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 22 ON CHART NO. 1

1 SAMUEL WOODSON VENABLE, JR.
BORN 1 Nov.1797
WHERE "Springfield" Prince Edward Co.,Va.
WHEN MARRIED 14 Feb.1821,Rockbridge Co.,Va.
DIED 6 Oct.1855
WHERE Prince Edward Co.,Va., Buried Hampden-Sydney
JANE STUART REID
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 COL. SAMUEL WOODSON VENABLE
BORN 19 Sept.1756
WHERE "Slate Hill" Prince Edward Co.
WHEN MARRIED 15 Aug.1781
DIED 7 Sept.1821
WHERE Sweet Springs,Va.

3 MARY SCOTT CARRINGTON
BORN 10 Nov.1756
WHERE "Mulberry Hill" Charlotte Co.,Va.
DIED 21 May 1837
WHERE "Springfield" P.E.Co.,Va.
Buried Hampden-Sydney,Va.

4 COL. NATHANIEL VENABLE
BORN 1 Nov.1733
WHERE Hanover Co.,Va.
WHEN MARRIED 29 Mar.1755
DIED 27 Dec.1804
WHERE Died & Buried "Slate Hill" Prince Edward Co.

5 ELIZABETH WOODSON
BORN 6 June 1740
WHERE "Poplar Hill" P.E. Co.
DIED 27 Sept. 1791
WHERE Died & Buried "Slate Hill" Prince Edward Co.

6 JUDGE PAUL CARRINGTON, SR.
BORN 5 Mar.1733
WHERE "Boston Hill" Goochland Co.,Va.
WHEN MARRIED 1 Oct.1755
DIED 22 Apr.1818
WHERE Died & Buried "Mulberry Hill" Charlotte Co.,Va.

7 MARGARET READ
BORN 12 Oct.1739
WHERE "Bushy Forest"
DIED 1 May 1766
WHERE Died & Buried "Mulberry Hill" Charlotte Co.

8 ABRAHAM VENABLES II
BORN 22 Mar.1700
WHERE New Kent Co.,Va.
WHEN MARRIED 1723
DIED 16 Dec. 1768
WHERE Louisa Co.,Va.

9 MARTHA DAVIS
BORN 14 July 1703
WHERE
DIED 18 Feb. 1765
WHERE

10 "BARON" RICHARD WOODSON
BORN ca.1705/6
WHERE Henrico Co.,Va.
WHEN MARRIED
DIED Will Proved Jan.1775
WHERE "Poplar Hill" P.E.Co.,Va.

11 ANNE MADELIN MICHAUX
BORN ca.1710/1711
WHERE
DIED 1796, age 86
WHERE

12 GEORGE CARRINGTON
BORN 2 July 1711
WHERE Barbados
WHEN MARRIED 26 June 1732
DIED 7 Feb. 1785
WHERE Cumberland Co.,Va.

13 ANNE MAYO
BORN 1712
WHERE Barbados
DIED 8 Feb.1785
WHERE Cumberland Co.,Va.

14 COL. CLEMENT READ
BORN 1 Jan.1707
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1730
DIED 2 Jan.1763
WHERE Charlotte Co.,Va.

15 MARY HILL
BORN 1711
WHERE
DIED 11 Nov.1780
WHERE "White Bank" King & Queen Co.,Va.

16 ABRAHAM VENABLES I — CONT. ON CHART

17 ELIZABETH LEWIS (HICKS) 1st Hus. dtr.Capt.Hugh Lewis d.Barbados 1679 — CONT. ON CHART

18 ROBERT DAVIS, Hanover County, Va. — CONT. ON CHART

19 ABADIAH LEWIS, dtr. Capt. Hugh Lewis — CONT. ON CHART

20 RICHARD WOODSON — CONT. ON CHART 8A

21 ANN SMITH — CONT. ON CHART

22 ABRAHAM MICHAUX, b 1672 Sedan, France m.13 July 1692 d.1717 Va. — CONT. ON CHART

23 SUSANNE ROCHET, Bp 13 Apr. 1667 Will Rec.17 Dec.1744 — CONT. ON CHART

24 DR. PAUL CARRINGTON, b.ca 1665 d.at sea 1716 — CONT. ON CHART

25 HENINGHAM CODRINGTON, b.1673 d.28 Jan.1741 — CONT. ON CHART

26 MAJOR WILLIAM MAYO Bp.4 Nov 1684 d.1744 — CONT. ON CHART

27 FRANCES GOULD, dtr. Enoch Gould — CONT. ON CHART

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30 WILLIAM HILL, Will 19 Aug.1748 — CONT. ON CHART

31 PRISCILLA JENINGS — CONT. ON CHART 8B

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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 8A

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 20 ON CHART NO. 8

1 RICHARD WOODSON
BORN 1662
WHERE "Curles" Henrico Co.,Va.
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 1716
WHERE

ANN SMITH
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 ROBERT WOODSON
BORN 1634
WHERE Flower dew Hundred,Va.
WHEN MARRIED 1656
DIED ca.1707
WHERE

3 ELIZABETH FERRIS
BORN
WHERE
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WHERE

4 DR. JOHN WOODSON
BORN 1586
WHERE Devonshire,England
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 1644
WHERE Va.

5 SARAH WINSTON
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6 RICHARD FERRIS
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Of "Curles" Henrico Co.,Va.

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12 NICHOLAS FERRIS
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WHERE Leistershire, England
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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 8B

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 31 ON CHART NO. 8

1 PRISCILLA JENINGS
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1706 or 1708
DIED
WHERE
WILLIAM HILL,d.Amelia Co.,Va.19 Aug.1748
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 GOV. EDMUND JENINGS
BORN 1659
WHERE Rippon, Yorke, England
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 2 June 1727
WHERE Yorke Co., Va.
Originally buried at Jamestown, Va; his marble tombstone brought to Bruton Parish Church, Williamsburg, in 1905.

3 FRANCES CORBIN
BORN 1653
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

4 SIR EDMOND JENINGS
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE Yorke County, England

5 MARGARET BURKHAM
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

6 HON. HENRY CORBIN
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE
Of "Buckinghamshire House" Middlesex Co.,Va.

7 ALICE ELTONHEAD
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

8 SIR JONATHAN JENINGS
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE Ripon, England

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10 SIR EDWARD BURKHAM
BORN
WHERE Lord Mayor of London 1621-22
WHEN MARRIED
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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 9

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NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 23 ON CHART NO. 1

1 JANE STUART REID
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 14 Feb. 1821
DIED
WHERE
SAMUEL WOODSON VENABLE, JR.
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 COL. ANDREW REID
BORN 13 Feb.1751
WHERE Amherst County,Va.
WHEN MARRIED 1776
DIED Oct.1837
WHERE Rockbridge Co., Va.
of "Mulberry Hill" Rockbridge County, Va. (Lexington). Was first County Clerk.

3 MAGDALENE McDOWELL
BORN
WHERE Rockbridge County,Va.
DIED
WHERE Rockbridge County,Va.

4 ANDREW REID
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED ca.1740
DIED 20 Sept. 1765
WHERE Amherst County, Va.

5 SARAH REID
BORN
WHERE
DIED 1765
WHERE

6 JUDGE SAMUEL McDOWELL
BORN 7 Nov.1735
WHERE Pennsylvania
WHEN MARRIED 17 Jan.1754
DIED 25 Oct.1817
WHERE near Danville, Ky.

7 MARY McCLUNG
BORN 1735
WHERE Ireland
DIED
WHERE

8 ANDREW REID
BORN
WHERE County Down, Ireland
WHEN MARRIED
DIED Will recorded 14 May 1751
WHERE Albemarle County,Va.

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DIED
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10 JOHN REID (brother of Andrew)
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

11 SARAH NISBET
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

12 JOHN McDOWELL
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 18 Dec.1742,killed in battle with Indians,
WHERE Rockbridge County,Va.

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24 EPHRAIM McDOWELL
b.1672,lived to be over 100
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25 MARGARET IRVINE b.1672,dtr.James Irvine & Mary Wylie
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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 10

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 24 ON CHART NO. 1

1 WALTER WOLCOTT
BORN 25 May 1797
WHERE E.Windsor,Conn.
WHEN MARRIED 29 Oct.1826
DIED 18 Sept.1871
WHERE Griffin,Ga.
LAURA BOARDMAN WADSWORTH
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 GIDEON WOLCOTT
BORN 26 May 1769
WHERE E.Windsor,Conn.
WHEN MARRIED 6 Nov.1790
DIED 31 Oct.1840
WHERE

3 HULDAH BISSELL
BORN 7 Nov.1770
WHERE E.Windsor,Conn.
DIED 29 Sept. 1844
WHERE

4 HENRY WOLCOTT IV
BORN 15 May 1729
WHERE E.Windsor,Conn.
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 25 Oct.1813
WHERE.

5 DORCAS ALLEN
BORN 10 June 1742
WHERE E.Windsor,Conn.
DIED 9 May 1822
WHERE E.Windsor,Conn.

6 HEZEKIAH BISSELL
BORN 20 May 1737
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 14 Nov.1831
WHERE E.Windsor,Conn.

7 HANNAH BLODGETT (2nd wife)
BORN 3 Aug.1748
WHERE
DIED 28 Oct.1774 (Age 26)
WHERE E.Windsor,Conn.
Buried Scantic Cemetery

8 HENRY WOLCOTT III
BORN 28 Feb.1697
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 27 Dec.1716
DIED
WHERE

9 ABIGAIL COOLEY
BORN 28 Oct.1695
WHERE Longmeadow, Mass.
DIED 6 Nov.1740
WHERE

10 JOSEPH ALLEN
BORN 30 July 1704
WHERE Enfield,Conn.
WHEN MARRIED 1723
DIED 11 June 1777
WHERE E.Windsor,Conn.

11 MARY HEWLETT
BORN 12 July 1703
WHERE
DIED 28 June 1782
WHERE E.Windsor,Conn.

12 JOHN BISSELL
BORN 1 Sept.1709
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 2 Dec.1733
DIED 15 July 1737 (age 28)
WHERE

13 HANNAH WATSON
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

14 ELIJAH BLODGET
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 15 Aug.1746
DIED 1762
WHERE

15 HANNAH CORNING
BORN
WHERE Hollenston,Mass.
DIED
WHERE

16 HENRY WOLCOTT II
CONT. ON CHART 10A

17 JANE ALLYN
CONT. ON CHART 10B

18 BENJAMIN COOLEY
CONT. ON CHART 10C

19 ABIGAIL BAGG
CONT. ON CHART 10D

20 SAMUEL ALLEN
CONT. ON CHART 10E

21 HANNAH BURROUGHS
CONT. ON CHART

22 JOHN HEWLETT
CONT. ON CHART

23 HANNAH WHITAKER
CONT. ON CHART

24 JERIMIAH BISSELL
CONT. ON CHART 10F

25 MEHITABLE WHITE,b.14 Mar.1683, d.18 Dec.1705
CONT. ON CHART

26 EBEN WATSON
CONT. ON CHART

27 ABIGAIL KELSEY
CONT. ON CHART

28 BENONI BLODGET,d.4 Feb.1773,Woburn,Mass
CONT. ON CHART

29 ABIGAIL BOOTH, dtr.of SIMON & REBECCA BOOTH
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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 10A

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 16 ON CHART NO. 10

1 HENRY WOLCOTT II
BORN 20 May 1670
WHERE Windsor, Conn.
WHEN MARRIED 1 April 1696
DIED Nov. 1746
WHERE Windsor, Conn.
JANE ALLYN
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 SIMON WOLCOTT
BORN 11 Sept. 1624
WHERE Tolland, Somerset, England
WHEN MARRIED 17 Oct. 1661
DIED 11 Sept. 1687
WHERE Windsor, Conn.

3 MARTHA PITKIN (2nd Wife)
BORN 1639
WHERE Berkhamstead, England
DIED 13 Oct. 1719
WHERE Windsor, Conn.

4 HENRY WOLCOTT
BORN 6 Dec. 1578
WHERE Bp. Lydeard St. Lawrence Church
WHEN MARRIED 19 Jan. 1606
DIED 30 May 1655
WHERE Windsor, Conn.

5 ELIZABETH SAUNDERS
BORN Bp. 20 Dec. 1584
WHERE
DIED 17 July 1655
WHERE Windsor, Conn.

6 REV. WILLIAM J. PITKIN
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

7 ELIZABETH
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

8 JOHN WOLCOTT
BORN 17 April 1545
WHERE Tolland, England
WHEN MARRIED 9 Feb. 1578
DIED 10 Dec. 1623
WHERE

9 AGNES CROSSE
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

10 THOMAS SAUNDERS
BORN 1582
WHERE Lydiard St. Lawrence, England
WHEN MARRIED June 1609
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11 ANNE
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16 JOHN WOLCOTT
b. 10 Sept. 1516
d. 7 Dec. 1571
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17 AGNES BUTLER
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20 JOHN SAUNDERS
b. ca. 1534
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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO 10B

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 17 ON CHART NO. 10

1 JANE ALLYN
BORN 22 July 1670
WHERE Windsor, Conn.
WHEN MARRIED 1 April 1696
DIED 11 April 1702
WHERE Windsor, Conn.
HENRY WOLCOTT II
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 CAPT. THOMAS ALLYN
BORN 11 March 1632
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 21 Oct. 1658
DIED 14 Feb.1695
WHERE

3 ABIGAIL WARHAM
BORN Bp. 27 May 1638
WHERE Windsor, Conn.
DIED
WHERE

4 MATTHEW ALLYN
BORN Bp.1605
WHERE Brampton, Devon, England
WHEN MARRIED 2 Feb.1626
DIED 1 Feb.1670
WHERE Windsor, Conn.

5 MARGARET WYATT
BORN Bp.7 April 1605
WHERE Brampton, Devonshire,
DIED 12 Sept.1675 England
WHERE Conn.

6 REV. JOHN WARHAM
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED (2) 1637
DIED 1 April 1670
WHERE Windsor, Conn.

7 JANE(DABINOTT) NEWBERRY
1st Husband
BORN
WHERE
DIED 23 April 1655
WHERE Norwalk, Conn.

8 SAMUEL ALLEN
BORN of Chelmsford County,
WHERE Essex, England
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

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BORN
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DIED
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10 JOHN WYATT
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 27 Nov.1558
DIED
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11 FRANCES CHICHESTER
BORN
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22 AMYAS CHICHESTER, b.1527; d.4 July 1577 CONT. ON CHART
23 JANE GIFFORD, d.1596; m.1534 CONT. ON CHART
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CHART NO. 10C

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 18 ON CHART NO. 10

1 BENJAMIN COOLEY, JR.
BORN 1 Sept.1656
WHERE Longmeadow, Mass.
WHEN MARRIED 7 Feb.1694/5
DIED 29 Nov.1731
WHERE

ABIGAIL BAGG
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 BENJAMIN COOLEY
BORN About 1617
WHERE Longmeadow, Mass.
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

3 SARAH (GRANT?)
BORN
WHERE
DIED 23 Aug.1684
WHERE Longmeadow, Mass.

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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 10D

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 19 ON CHART NO. 10

1 ABIGAIL BAGG
BORN 23 April 1673
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 27 Jan.1738/9
WHERE

BENJAMIN COOLEY,JR.
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 JOHN BAGG
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 24 Dec.1657
DIED 5 Sept.1683
WHERE (45-50 yrs. of age at death)

3 HANNAH BURT
BORN 28 April 1641
WHERE
DIED 1 Aug. 1680
WHERE

4 BORN / WHERE / WHEN MARRIED / DIED / WHERE.

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CHART NO. 10E

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 20 ON CHART NO. 10

1 SAMUEL ALLEN
BORN 5 Feb. 1673
WHERE Northampton, Mass.
WHEN MARRIED 29 May 1700
DIED 1735
WHERE Enfield, Conn.
~~HANNAH BURROUGHS b.1675~~
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 JOHN ALLEN
BORN 5 April 16509
WHERE Dearfield, Conn.
WHEN MARRIED 8 Dec. 1669
DIED 18 Sept. 1675
WHERE (Killed Battle Bloody Brook, Mass.-Indians)

3 MARY HANNUM
BORN 5 April 1650
WHERE Windsor, Conn.
DIED 10 May 1704
WHERE

4 SAMUEL ALLEN
BORN About 1588
WHERE Braintree,Essex,England
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 28 April 1648
WHERE. Windsor, Conn.

5 ANN
BORN
WHERE
DIED 13 Nov.1687
WHERE Windsor, Conn.

6 WILLIAM HANNUM
BORN
WHERE Pos.Caudle Purse, Dorset,England
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 1 June 1677
WHERE Northampton,Mass.

7 HONOR CAPEN
BORN
WHERE
DIED 1680
WHERE Westfield,Mass.

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14 BERNARD CAPEN
BORN 1562
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1596
DIED 8 Nov.1638 (Age 76)
WHERE Dorchester, Mass.

15 JOAN PURCHASE
BORN 1578
WHERE
DIED 26 Mar.1653 (Age 75)
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30 OLIVER PURCHASE
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31 THOMASINE HARRIS of Dorchester, England
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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 10F

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 24 ON CHART NO. 10

1 JEREMIAH BISSELL
BORN 22 June 1677
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 18 Dec.1705
DIED
WHERE
MEHITABLE WHITE
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 JOHN BISSELL, JR.
BORN
WHERE England
WHEN MARRIED 17 June 1658
DIED Prior to 15 Oct.1688
WHERE

3 IZRELL(ISRELL) MASON
BORN 1637/8
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

4 JOHN BISSELL, SR.
BORN
WHERE England
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 3 Oct.1677 (age 86)
WHERE. Windsor, Conn.

5 ??
BORN
WHERE
DIED 21 May 1641
WHERE

6 MAJOR JOHN MASON
BORN 1600
WHERE England
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 30 Jan. 1672
WHERE Conn.

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NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 25 ON CHART NO. 1

CHART NO. 11

1 LAURA BOARDMAN WADSWORTH
BORN 15 Nov.1808
WHERE Glastonbury, Conn,
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 3 Sept.1839
WHERE Decatur,Ga. (Buried Decatur,Ga.Cemetery)
WALTER WOLCOTT
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 JAMES WADSWORTH
BORN 11 Feb. 1776
WHERE Hartford, Conn.
WHEN MARRIED 9 April 1797
DIED July 1821
WHERE

3 ABIGAIL MAY
BORN 1 Jan. 1780
WHERE
DIED 25 June 1808
WHERE Conn.

4 JAMES WADSWORTH
BORN Bp.28 June 1752
WHERE Hartford,Conn.
WHEN MARRIED 15 Oct.1772
DIED 13 Nov.1803
WHERE. Conn.

5 MARY BRACE
BORN 14 March 1752
WHERE
DIED March 1823
WHERE

6 SAMUEL MAY
BORN 20 Aug.1751
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

7 RHODA ROBERTS
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

8 ELISHA WADSWORTH
BORN Bp.1 Mar.1723-4
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 30 July 1749
DIED 1 June 1803
WHERE

9 ANN CADWELL
BORN Bp. 18 Sept.1726
WHERE
DIED 25 Feb.1793
WHERE

10 CAPT.HENRY BRACE
BORN 15 Mar.1712-3
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 15 July 1740
DIED 2 Sept.1787
WHERE Hartford,Conn.

11 ELIZABETH CADWELL
BORN Bp. 6 Sept. 1713
WHERE
DIED 25 Feb. 1766
WHERE

12 SAMUEL MAY
BORN 25 Dec.1724
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 29 July 1746
DIED 17 Feb.1793
WHERE

13 MARY PIERCE
BORN 1725
WHERE
DIED 2 Sept. 1790
WHERE

14
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
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16 ICHABOD WADSWORTH
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17 SARAH SMITH
CONT. ON CHART

18 EDWARD CADWELL
CONT. ON CHART 11B

19 DEBORAH BUNCE
CONT. ON CHART 11C

20 HENRY BRACE
CONT. ON CHART 11D

21 ANN COLLYER
CONT. ON CHART 11E

22 SAMUEL CADWELL
CONT. ON CHART 11F

23 MARY CLARK
CONT. ON CHART

24 HEZEKIAH MAY
CONT. ON CHART 11G

25 ANNA STILLMAN
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PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. 11A

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 16 ON CHART NO. 11

1 ICHABOD WADSWORTH
BORN 1688
WHERE Hartford, Conn.
WHEN MARRIED 21 Dec. 1720
DIED 5 May 1778
WHERE Conn.
SARAH SMITH,d.1778
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 CAPT. JOSEPH WADSWORTH
BORN 1648
WHERE Hartford, Conn.
WHEN MARRIED 1 May 1682
DIED 1729
WHERE Hartford, Conn.

3 ELIZABETH TALCOTT
BORN 21 Feb.1656
WHERE
DIED 26 Oct.1710
WHERE

4 WILLIAM WADSWORTH
BORN 1595
WHERE England
WHEN MARRIED 2 July 1644
DIED 1675
WHERE. Hartford, Conn.

5 ELIZABETH STONE (2nd wife)
BORN Bp.21 Oct.1621
WHERE
DIED 1682
WHERE

6 LT.COL. JOHN TALCOTT
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 29 Oct.1650
DIED 23 July 1688
WHERE

7 HELENA WAKEMAN
BORN Bp.23 Dec.1632
WHERE
DIED 21 June 1674
WHERE

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BORN
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WHEN MARRIED
DIED
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10 JOHN STONE
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
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DIED
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12 JOHN TALCOTT
BORN 1600
WHERE England
WHEN MARRIED 18 Dec.1630
DIED March 1660
WHERE

13 DOROTHY MOTT
BORN
WHERE
DIED Feb.1669-70
WHERE

14 JOHN WAKEMAN
BORN 1601 of New Haven,Ct.
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 28 Jan.1628/9 in England
DIED 1661
WHERE

15 ELIZABETH HOPKINS
BORN 1610
WHERE
DIED 1658
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24 JOHN TALCOTT,d.1604 CONT. ON CHART
25 ANNE SKINNER,dtr. William & Margery Skinner CONT. ON CHART
26 REV.MARK MOTT,d.1 Mar.1636 CONT. ON CHART
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CHART NO. 11B

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 18 ON CHART NO. 11

1 EDWARD CADWELL
BORN 24 Sept.1681
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 20 Dec.1704
DIED 3 Sept.1751
WHERE

DEBORAH BUNCE
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 EDWARD CADWELL
BORN 1 Nov.1660
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1681,Hartford,Ct.
DIED 1719
WHERE

3 ELIZABETH BUTLER
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

4 THOMAS CADWELL
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1658/9
DIED 9 Oct.1694
WHERE.

5 ELIZABETH STEBBINS
BORN 1660 (1st Hus.Wilson)
WHERE
DIED
WHERE Hartford

6 THOMAS BUTLER
BORN 1637.
WHERE Hartford, Conn.
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 29 Aug.1688
WHERE

7 SARAH STONE
BORN 1639
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

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BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

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BORN
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DIED
WHERE

10 DEACON EDWARD STEBBINS
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1632?
DIED Will dated 24 Aug.1663
WHERE

11 FRANCES (TOUGH)(CHESTER) SMITH
BORN
WHERE
DIED 1673 (Will 12 Nov.1673)
WHERE

12 RICHARD BUTLER
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 6 Aug.1683
WHERE Hartford,Conn.

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BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

14 REV.SAMUEL STONE
BORN Bp.30 July 1602
WHERE England
WHEN MARRIED ca.1632
DIED 20 July 1663
WHERE

15 1st wife ??
BORN
WHERE
DIED Oct.1640
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28 JOHN STONE
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CHART NO. 11C

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

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CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 19 ON CHART NO. 11

1 DEBORAH BUNCE
BORN Bp.31 March 1689
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 2 May 1772
WHERE
~~EDWARD CADWELL~~
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 JOHN BUNCE
BORN About 1650
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 23 Apr.1685
DIED 1733/4
WHERE

3 MARY BARNARD
BORN Bp.20 Mar.1669/70
WHERE b.ca. 1659
DIED
WHERE

4 THOMAS BUNCE
BORN 1612
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1645, Hartford
DIED 1683
WHERE.

5 SARAH
BORN
WHERE
DIED Jan.1693/4
WHERE

6 BARTHOLOMEW BARNARD
BORN 1627
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 25 Oct.1647
DIED 1698
WHERE

7 SARAH BIRCHARD
BORN
WHERE
DIED
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DIED
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14 THOMAS BIRCHARD
BORN 1595
WHERE England
WHEN MARRIED 1622 in England
DIED 1684
WHERE

15 ~~MARY~~
BORN 1597
WHERE
DIED 24 Mar.1655 ?
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NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 20 ON CHART NO. 11

1 HENRY BRACE
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 30 Jan.1706
DIED 1751
WHERE

ANN COLLYER
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 STEPHEN BRACE
BORN
WHERE London
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 1692
WHERE Conn.

3 ELIZABETH
BORN
WHERE
DIED Inv.5 Oct.1724
WHERE

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NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

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CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 21 ON CHART NO. 11

1 ANN COLLYER
BORN Bp.14 Aug.1687
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 13 July 1764
WHERE
HENRY BRACE
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 JOSEPH COLLYER
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1662?
DIED 16 Nov.1691
WHERE

3 ELIZABETH SANFORD
BORN 19 Feb.1645
WHERE
DIED 1695
WHERE

4 JOSEPH COLLYER (COLLIER)
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 21 Aug.1648
WHERE. London

5
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

6 ROBERT SANDORD of Duxbury
BORN 1615
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE June 1676

7 ~~ANN ADAMS~~
BORN
WHERE
DIED 1682
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WHEN MARRIED
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BORN
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14 JEREMY ADAMS
BORN 1604
WHERE England
WHEN MARRIED ca.1636
DIED 1683
WHERE Hartford

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BORN
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CHART NO. 11F

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 22 ON CHART NO. 11

1 SAMUEL CADWELL
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 16 March 1707/8
DIED 1724
WHERE

~~MARY CLARK~~
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 THOMAS CADWELL
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1659, Hartford
DIED 9 Oct.1694
WHERE

3 ELIZABETH STEBBINS (1st Hus.Wilson)
BORN 1660
WHERE
DIED
WHERE Hartford

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BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE.

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BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

6 DEACON EDWARD STEBBINS
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1632?
DIED Will 24 Aug.1663
WHERE

7 ~~FRANCES(TOUGH)(CHESTER)~~ SMITH
BORN
WHERE
DIED Will dated 24 Aug.1663
WHERE

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WHEN MARRIED
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NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 24 ON CHART NO. 11

1 HEZEKIAH MAY
BORN 14 Dec. 1696
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 27 April 1721
DIED 5 Sept. 1783
WHERE
ANNA STILLMAN, dtr. of GEO. STILLMAN
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE
b.6 April 1696
d. 7 Nov.1767

2 JOHN MAY
BORN 19 May 1663
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 2 June 1684
DIED 24 Feb.1729, Age 67
WHERE Roxbury, Mass.

3 PRUDENCE BRIDGE
BORN 11 Jan.1664
WHERE
DIED 26 Sept. 1723
WHERE

4 JOHN MAY
BORN 1631
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 19 Nov.1656
DIED 11 Sept.1671
WHERE.

5 SARAH BREWER
BORN 13 March 1638
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

6 JOHN BRIDGE
BORN 1635.
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1661, Roxbury
DIED 1674
WHERE

7 PRUDENCE ROBINSON
BORN 1643
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

8 JOHN MAY
BORN 1590
WHERE England
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 28 April 1670
WHERE Mass.

9 ??
BORN
WHERE
DIED 18 June 1651
WHERE

10 DANIEL BREWER
BORN 1596
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1624 in England
DIED 1646
WHERE

11 JOANNA MORRILL ?
BORN 1602
WHERE
DIED 7 Feb. 1689, age 87
WHERE

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BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

13
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

14 WILLIAM ROBINSON
BORN of Dorchester
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1637
DIED
WHERE

15 PRUDENCE (1st wife)
BORN
WHERE
DIED
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NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

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CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 26 ON CHART NO. 1

1 JOSEPH HOLLINGSWORTH
BORN 10 April 1797
WHERE Laurens District,S.C.
WHEN MARRIED 3 Oct.1816
DIED 13 June 1859
WHERE Hollingsworth Ferry, Heard County, Ga.

ELIZABETH ANN JANE CARR ROGERS
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 JOSEPH HOLLINGSWORTH
BORN 22 Sept. 1765
WHERE Frederick County,Va.
WHEN MARRIED 1789
DIED 8 April 1844
WHERE Newton (now Rockdale) Co.,Ga.(Buried Smyrna Camp Ground Cemetery,near Conyers)

3 ROSANNAH NICHOLS
BORN 15 Jan.1767
WHERE Laurens County, S.C.
DIED 10 March 1839
WHERE Newton County,Ga.
Buried Smyrna Camp Ground Cemetery, Conyers, Ga.

4 ABRAHAM HOLLINGSWORTH
BORN 1739
WHERE Frederick County,VA.
WHEN MARRIED 1762 in Va.
DIED 1807
WHERE Laurens County,S.C.

5 MARGARET WRIGHT
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE Laurens,S.C.

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BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

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BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

8 GEORGE HOLLINGSWORTH
BORN 7 April 1712
WHERE Cecil County, Md.
WHEN MARRIED 19 Dec.1734
DIED 1767
WHERE Laurens County,S.C.

9 HANNAH McCOY
BORN
WHERE
DIED Before 1750
WHERE Virginia

10
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

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BORN
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WHEN MARRIED
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WHEN MARRIED
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DIED
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16 ABRAHAM HOLLINGSWORTH
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17 ANN ROBINSON
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18 ROBERT McCOY, SR., d.1752
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NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 16 ON CHART NO. 12

1 ABRAHAM HOLLINGSWORTH
BORN 18 JAN. 1686
WHERE New Castle Co.,Del.
WHEN MARRIED 13 Mar.1710
DIED Oct.1748
WHERE Frederick County, Va.
ANN ROBINSON, d.1749
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE
d. of George Robinson

2 THOMAS HOLLINGSWORTH
BORN 1661
WHERE Belleniskcrannel, Ireland
WHEN MARRIED 1684
DIED 1733
WHERE Winchester, Va.
His home "Rockland Manor:, New Castle County, Del. (then Pennsylvania)

3 MARGARET
BORN
WHERE
DIED 1 Aug. 1687
WHERE New Castle, Del.

4 VALENTINE HOLLINGSWORTH
BORN 1632
WHERE Belleniskcrannel, Ireland
WHEN MARRIED 7 Apr.1655
DIED 1711
WHERE.Newark,Del.

5 ANN REE
BORN 1628
WHERE Tanderagee, Ireland
DIED 1 Feb.1671
WHERE Ireland

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BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

7
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

8 HENRY HOLLINGSWORTH
BORN
WHERE Ireland
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

9 CATHERINE
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

10 NICHOLAS REE
BORN
WHERE Ireland
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

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NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 27 ON CHART NO. 1

1 ELIZABETH ANN JANE CARR ROGERS
BORN 14 Feb.1795
WHERE Laurens County,S.C.
WHEN MARRIED 3 Oct.1816
DIED 4 Feb.1881
WHERE Griffin, Ga.
JOSEPH HOLLINGSWORTH
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE
Buried Hollingsworth Ferry Heard County, Ga.

2 ANDREW ROGERS
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1787
DIED 30 Nov.1807
WHERE Laurens County, S.C.
Buried Country Graveyard

3 LETITIA (LETTY) FRANK(S)
BORN
WHERE
DIED 11 Feb.1817
WHERE Laurens County,S.C.

4 THOMAS ROGERS
BORN 1722 or 1725
WHERE Maryland
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 1786
WHERE Laurens County,S.C.

5 ELIZABETH ANN JANE CARR
BORN
WHERE
DIED 1793
WHERE Laurens County,S.C.

6 NEHEMIAH FRANK
BORN ca.1720-25
WHERE Westmoreland Co.,Va.
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 6 Nov.1799
WHERE Laurens County,S.C.

7 MARY PEAKE
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE Laurens County,S.C.

8 CAPT. WILLIAM ROGERS
BORN 19 June 1699
WHERE Ipswich, Mass.
WHEN MARRIED 1720
DIED 29 July 1749
WHERE Annapolis, Md.

9 MARY CALDWELL
BORN
WHERE
DIED 1725
WHERE Maryland

10 THOMAS CARR
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

11 ANN ELIZABETH ADDISON
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

12 ROBERT FRANK
BORN
WHERE Of Westmoreland County, Va.
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

13 SARAH
BORN
WHERE
DIED 20 June 1725
WHERE Westmoreland County,Va.

14
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

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BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

16 REV. JOHN ROGERS
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17 MARTHA WHITTINGHAM
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22 JOHN ADDISON,son of JOHN
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1 REV. JOHN ROGERS
BORN 7 July 1666
WHERE Ipswich, Mass.
WHEN MARRIED 4 Mar.1691
DIED 1745
WHERE Ipswich, Mass.
MARTHA WHITTINGHAM
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 REV. JOHN ROGERS
BORN Jan.1631
WHERE Coggeshall,Essex,England
WHEN MARRIED 14 Nov. 1660
DIED 2 July 1684
WHERE Ipswich, Mass.

3 ELIZABETH DENNISON
BORN
WHERE
DIED 13 June 1723
WHERE Mass.

4 REV. NATHANIEL ROGERS
BORN 1598
WHERE Haverhill, England
WHEN MARRIED 23 Jan.1625
DIED 3 July 1655
WHERE. Ipswich, Mass.
Will Probated 26 Sept.1655

5 MARGARET CRANE
BORN About 1605
WHERE Coggeshall,Essex,Eng.
DIED 23 Jan.1675
WHERE Ipswich, Mass.

6 MAJ.GEN. DANIEL DENNISON
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 20 Sept.1682
WHERE Mass.

7 PATIENCE DUDLEY
BORN
WHERE
DIED 8 Feb.1690
WHERE Mass.

8 REV. JOHN ROGERS
BORN of Dedham, England
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 18 Oct.1636
WHERE

9 ELIZABETH GOLD
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

10 ROBERT CRANE
BORN of Coggeshall,Essex,
WHERE England
WHEN MARRIED
DIED Will Probated 18 Mar.1658
WHERE

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BORN
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WHEN MARRIED
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DIED
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14 GOV.THOMAS DUDLEY
BORN 1576
WHERE Northampton, England
WHEN MARRIED 25 Apr.1603
DIED 31 July 1653
WHERE Roxbury, Mass.

15 DOROTHY YORKE
BORN
WHERE
DIED 27 Dec. 1643,age 76
WHERE Roxbury, Mass.

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28 CAPT. ROGER DUDLEY
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29 SUSAN THORNE
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30 EDMUND YORKE
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CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 17 ON CHART NO. 13

1 MARTHA WHITTINGHAM
BORN 1670
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 9 Mar.1759, age 89
WHERE

REV. JOHN ROGERS
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 WILLIAM WHITTINGHAM
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE On trip to England to settle family estate.

3 MARY LAURENCE
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

4 JOHN WHITTINGHAM
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 1649
WHERE Ipswich, Mass.

5 MARTHA HUBBARD
BORN 1613
WHERE
DIED 1687
WHERE

6 HON. JOHN LAURENCE
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

7
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

8 BARUCH WHITTINGHAM
BORN
WHERE Southerton, England
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

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BORN
WHERE
DIED
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10 WILLIAM HUBBARD
BORN
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WHEN MARRIED
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NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

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CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS THE SAME PERSON AS NO. 28 ON CHART NO. 1

1 JOEL W. LEFTWICH,
JOHN W. LEFTWICH,
OR JAMES H. LEFTWICH
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 CAPT.JOHN LEFTWICH
BORN ca. 1750
WHERE Virginia
WHEN MARRIED
DIED 26 Feb.1797
WHERE Oglethorpe County, Ga.

3 SOPHEY
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

4 AUGUSTINE LEFTWICH
BORN ca.1712-15
WHERE New Kent County, Va.
WHEN MARRIED
DIED Will 10 June 1794
WHERE Bedford County, Va.

5 ELIZABETH STOVALL
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

6
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

7
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

8 THOMAS LEFTWICH
BORN ca.1660-1670
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED 1706/7
DIED 1730
WHERE Caroline County, Va.

9 MARY NORTH
BORN
WHERE Essex County, Va.
DIED
WHERE

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BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
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WHEN MARRIED
DIED
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BORN
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DIED
WHERE

16 RALPH LEFTWICH
b.ca.1628,
son of Thomas
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18 AUGUSTINE NORTH
d.before 1698
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19 DOROTHY
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